# QUEEN



## Greatest Hits II

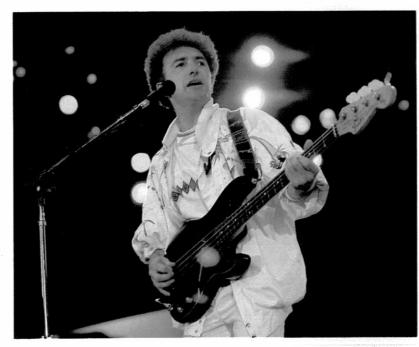
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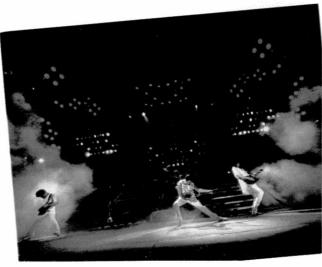




















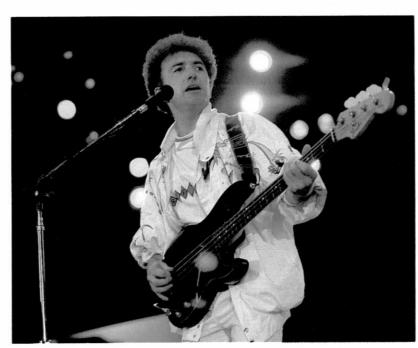


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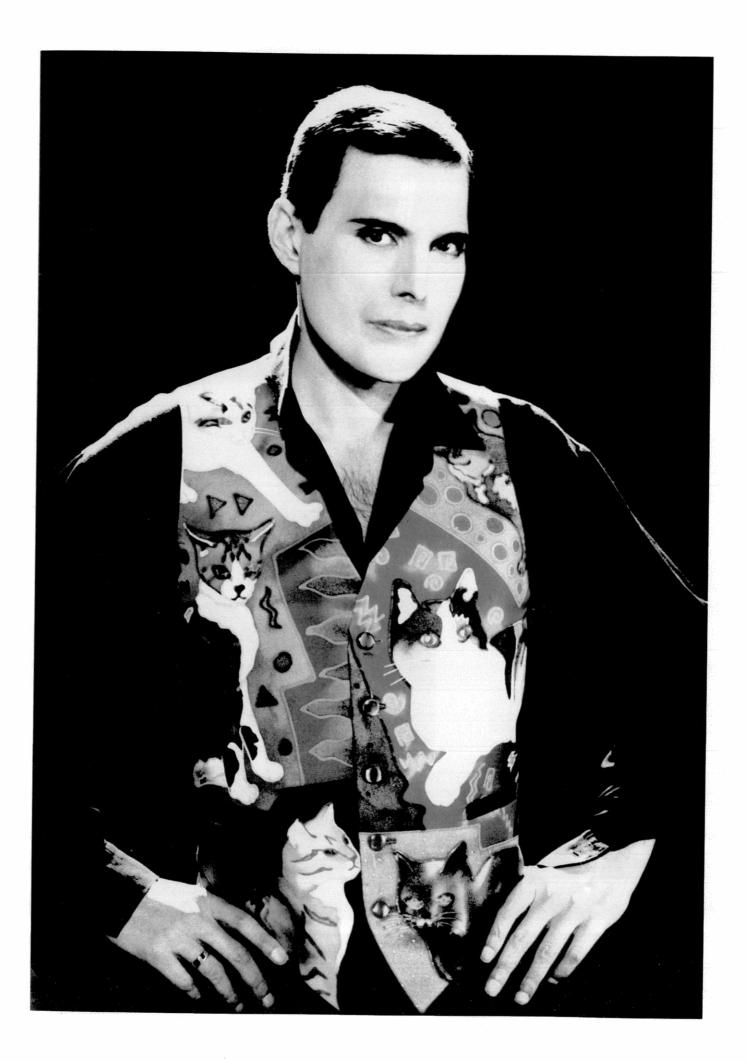




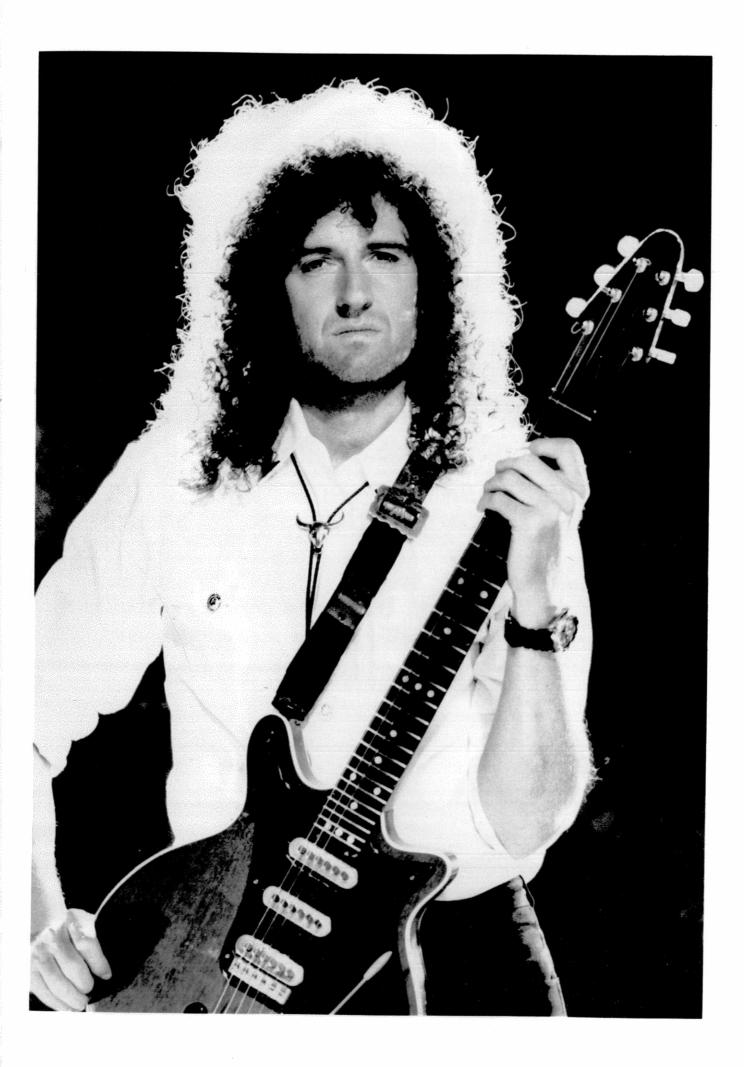


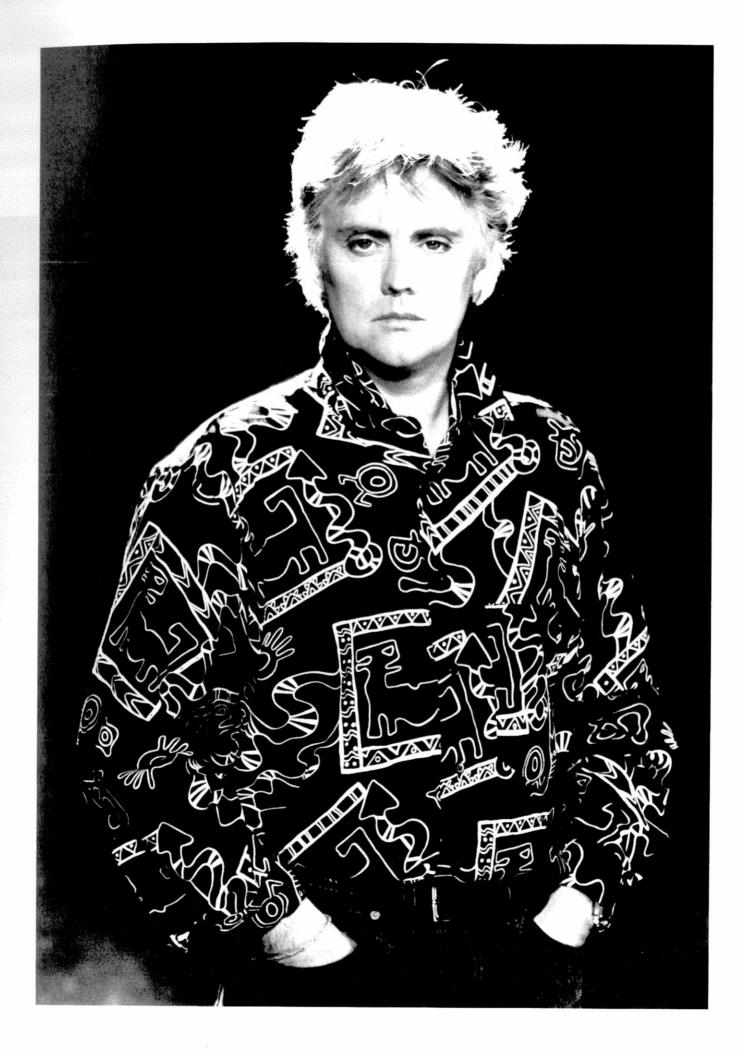














### Notation and Tablature Explained

Open C chord



Scale of E major



Bent Notes:

The note fretted is always shown first. Variations in pitch achieved by string bending are enclosed within this symbol [ ] . If you aren't sure how far to bend the string, playing the notes indicated without bending gives a guide to the pitches to aim for. The following examples cover the most common string bending techniques:



#### Example 1:

Play the D, bend up one tone (two half-steps) to E.



#### Example 4:

Pre-bend: fret the D, bend up one tone to E, then pick.



#### Example 2:

Play the D, bend up one tone to E then release bend to sound D. Only the first note is picked.



#### Example 5:

Play the A and D together, then bend the B-string up one tone to sound B.



#### Example 3:

Fast bend: Play the D, then bend up one tone to E as quickly as possible.



#### Example 6:

Play the D and F $\sharp$  together, then bend the G-string up one tone to E, and the B-string up  $\frac{1}{2}$  tone to G.

Additional guitaristic techniques have been notated as follows:



#### Tremolo Bar:

Alter pitch using tremolo bar. Where possible, the pitch to aim for is shown.

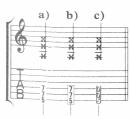
a) Play the G; use the bar to drop the pitch to E.

b) Play the open G; use the bar to 'divebomb', i.e. drop the pitch as far as possible.



#### Hammer on and Pull off:

Play first note, sound next note by 'hammering on', the next by 'pulling off'. Only the first note is picked.



#### Mutes:

#### a) Right hand mute:

Mute strings by resting the right hand on the strings just above the bridge.

#### b) Left hand mute:

Damp the strings by releasing left hand pressure just after the notes sound.

#### c) Unpitched mute:

Damp the strings with the left hand to produce a percussive sound.



#### Glissando:

a) Play first note, sound next note by sliding up string. Only the first note is picked.

b) As above, but pick second note.



#### Slide Guitar:

- a) Play using slide.
- b) Play without slide.

#### Natural Harmonics:

Touch the string over the fret marked, and pick to produce a bell-like tone. The small notes show the resultant pitch, where necessary.



#### Vibrato:

Apply vibrato, by 'shaking' note or with tremolo bar. As vibrato is so much a matter of personal taste and technique, it is indicated only where essential.



#### Tapping:

Sound notes indicated by tapping hammering-on with the picking hand at the indicated fret.



#### Pinch Harmonics:

Fret the note as usual, but 'pinch' or 'squeeze' the string with the picking hand to produce a harmonic overtone. Small notes show the resultant pitch.



#### Pick Scratch:

Scrape the pick down the strings this works best on the wound strings.



Special Tunings:

#### Quarter-tones:

Non-standard tunings are shown as 'tuning boxes'. Each box represents one guitar string, the leftmost box corresponding to

the lowest pitched string. The symbol 'e' in a box means the

pitch of the corresponding string is not altered. A note within a

the number of half-steps the string must be tuned up or down.

A downwards arrow means the written pitch is lowered by a quarter-tone; an upwards arrow raises the written pitch by a quarter-tone.



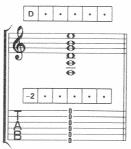
#### Repeated Chords:

To make rhythm guitar parts easier to read the tablature numbers may be omitted when a chord is repeated. The example shows a C major chord played naturally, r/h muted, l/h muted and as an unpitched respectively.

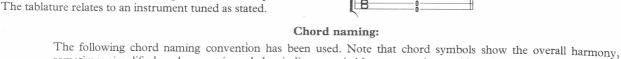
Tune the low E (6th) string down one

tone (two half-steps) to D.

See 'Headlong'.



#### box means the string must be re-tuned as stated. For tablature readers, numbers appear in the boxes. The numbers represent



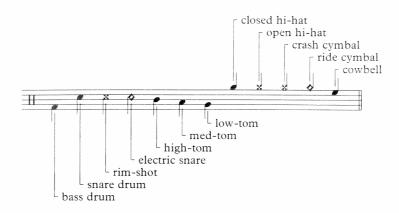
sometimes simplified, and are not intended to indicate a suitable accompaniment. Altered 5ths are shown as 'dim5' or 'aug5', whilst alterations to added notes are indicated by '#' or 'b'.



Where there is no appropriate chord symbol, for example when the music consists of a repeated figure (or riff) the tonal base is indicated in parenthesis:



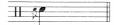
# Key to Percussion Notation



#### Specific percussion techniques:



Cymbal muted by hand.



Flam: two hits in rapid succession.



Hit with both sticks at the same time.



Open/closed hi-hat, i.e. hit open hi-hat with stick, close with pedal.

# A Kind of Magic

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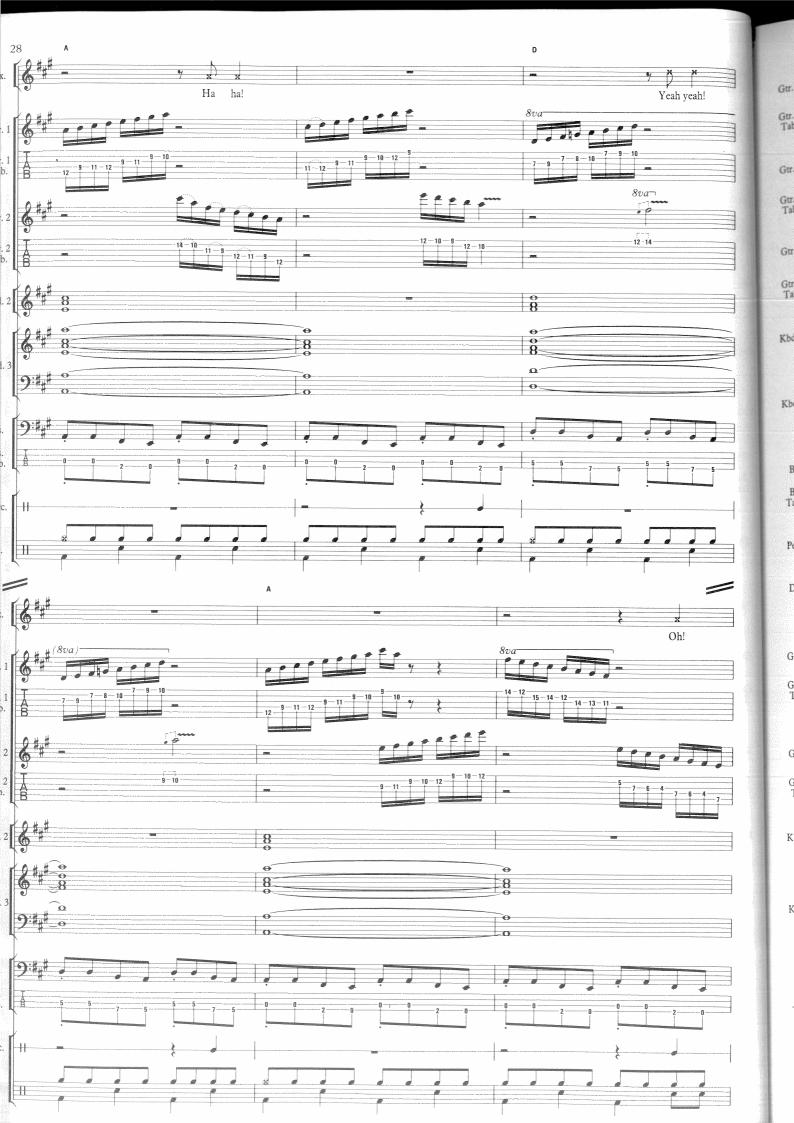
















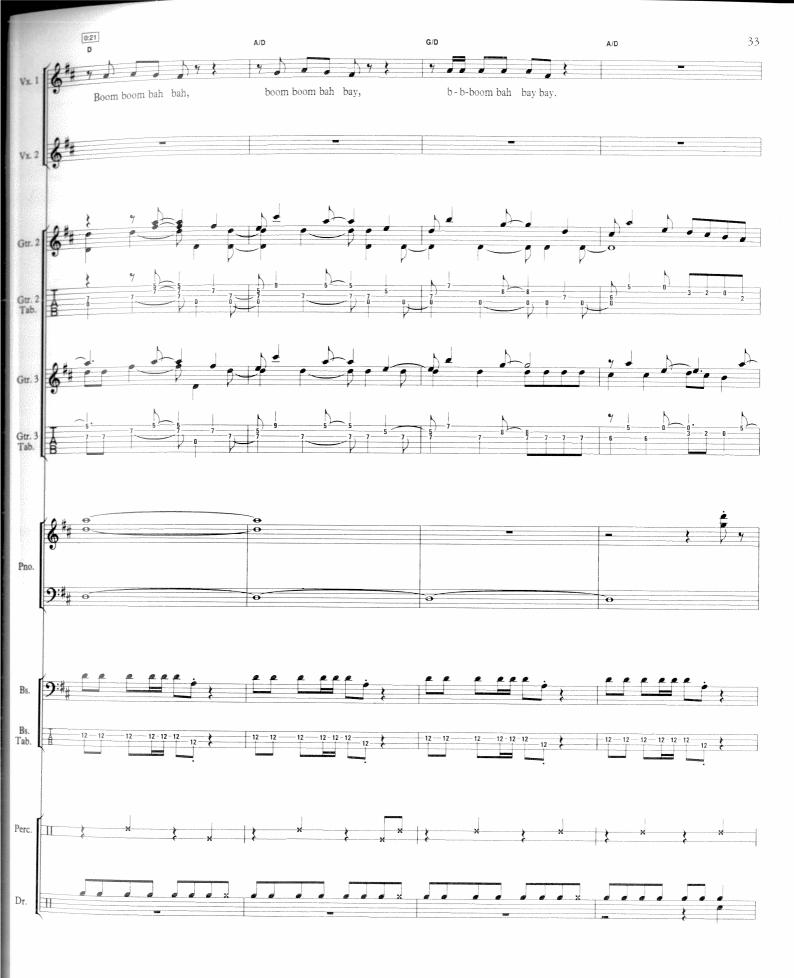


# Under Pressure

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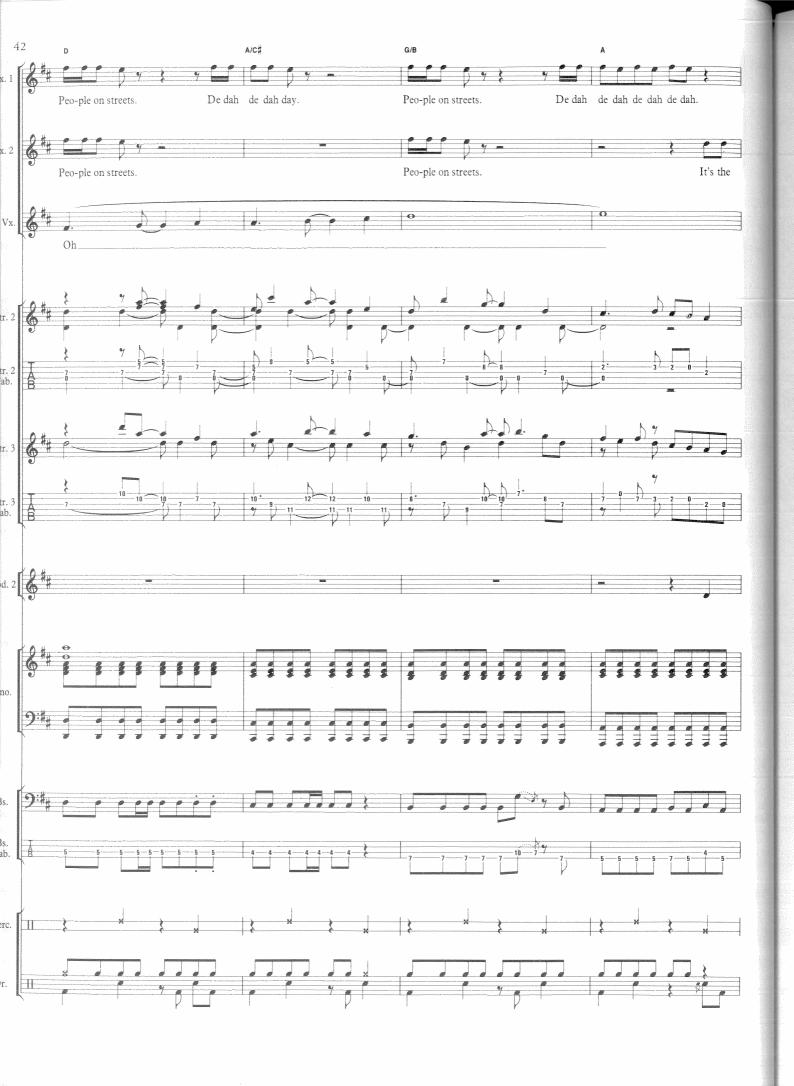












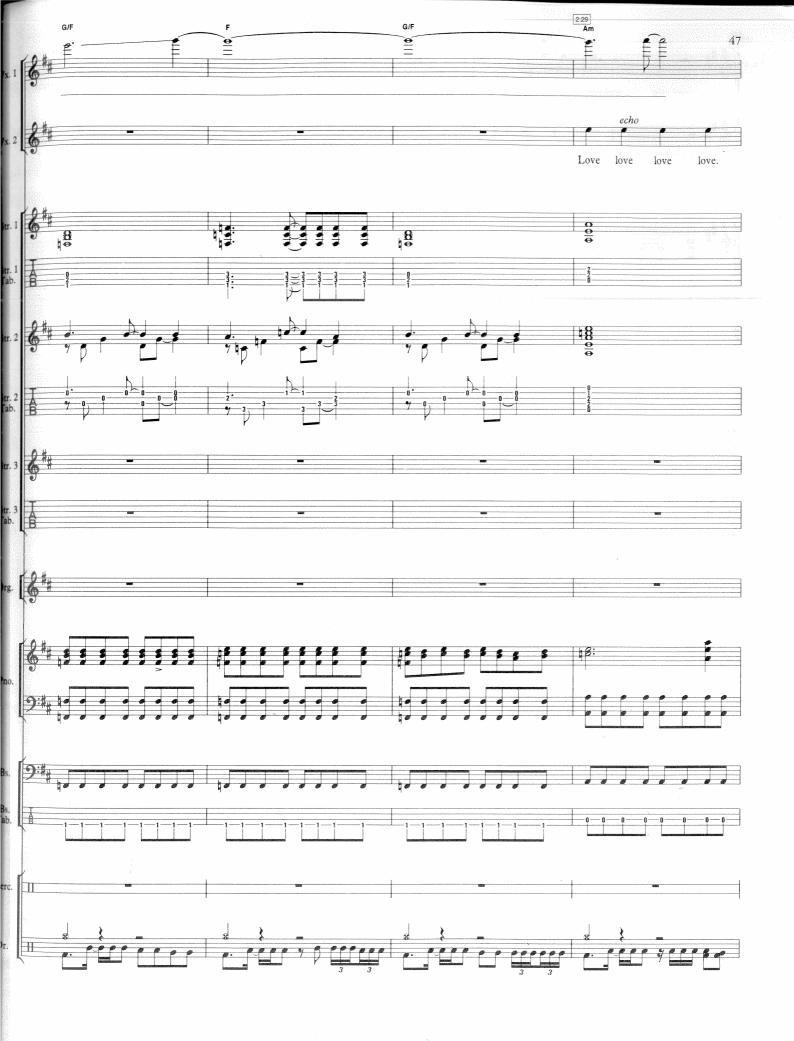










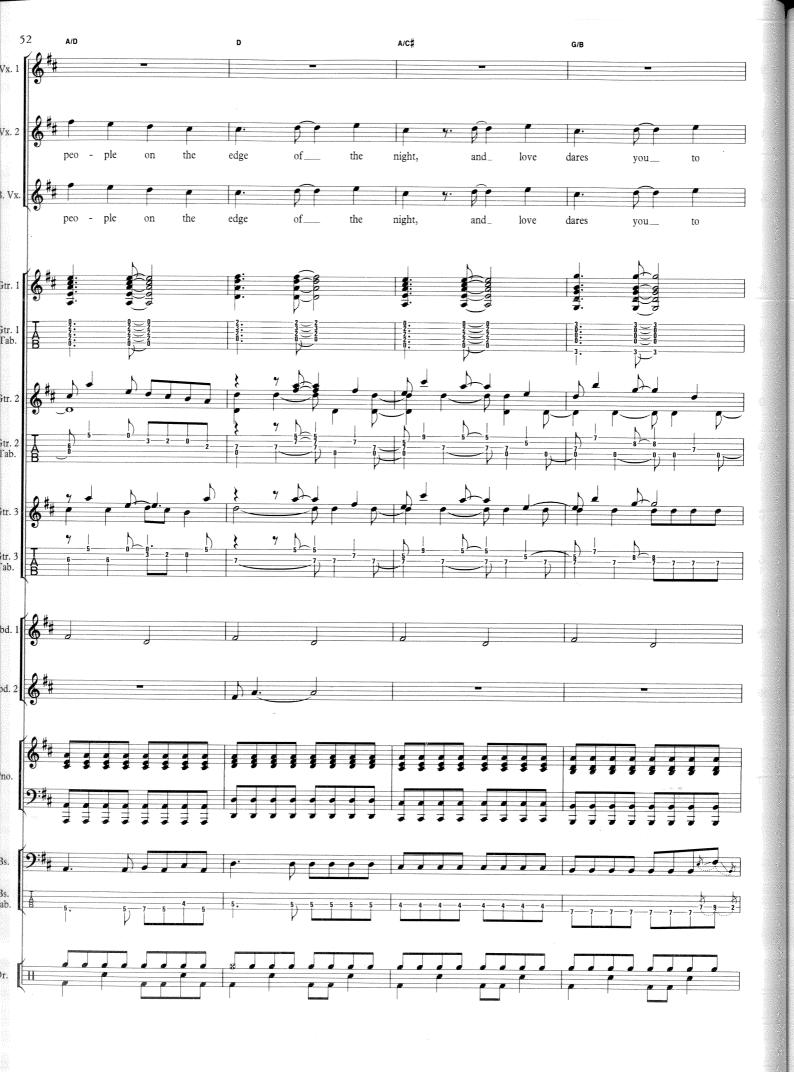






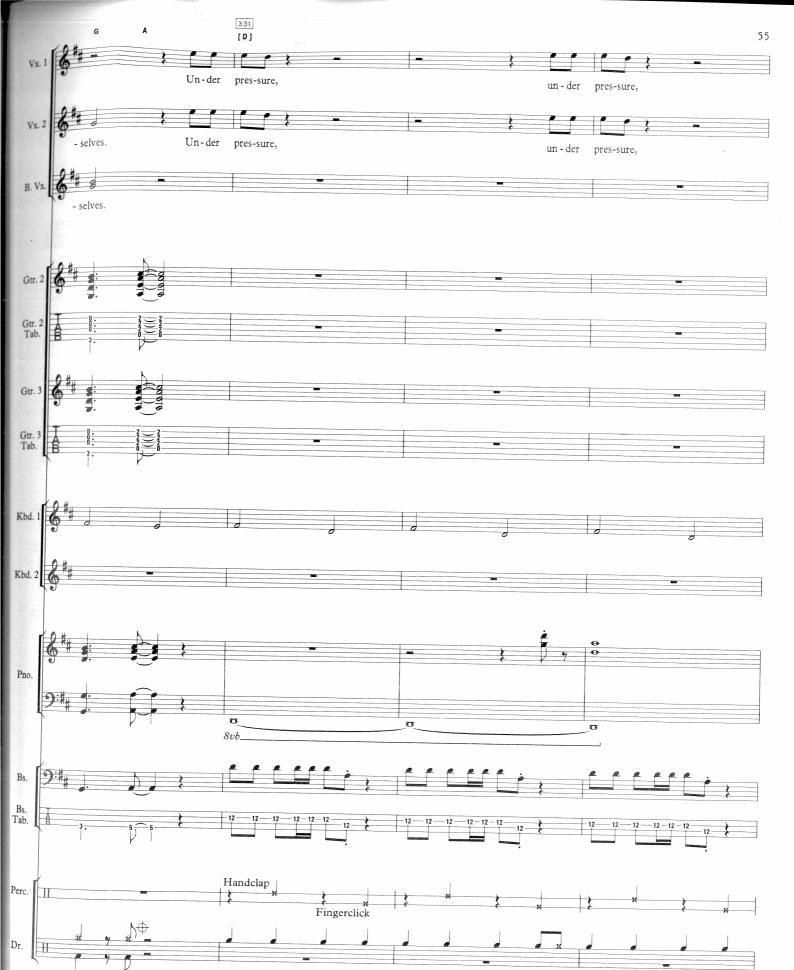














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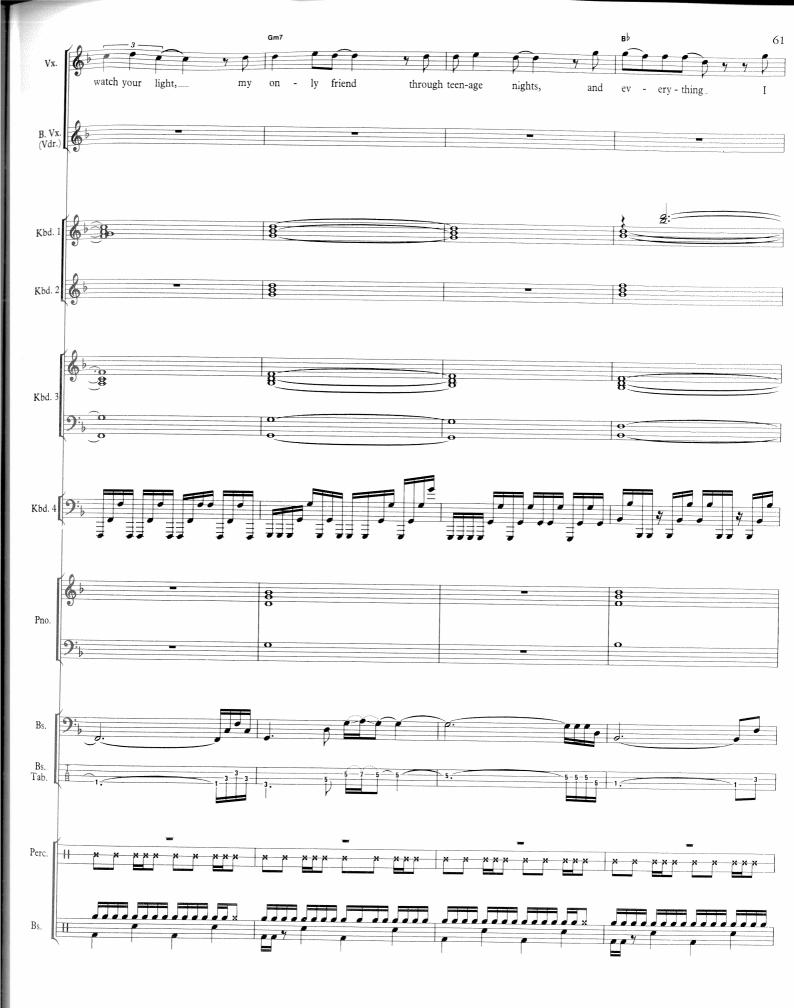
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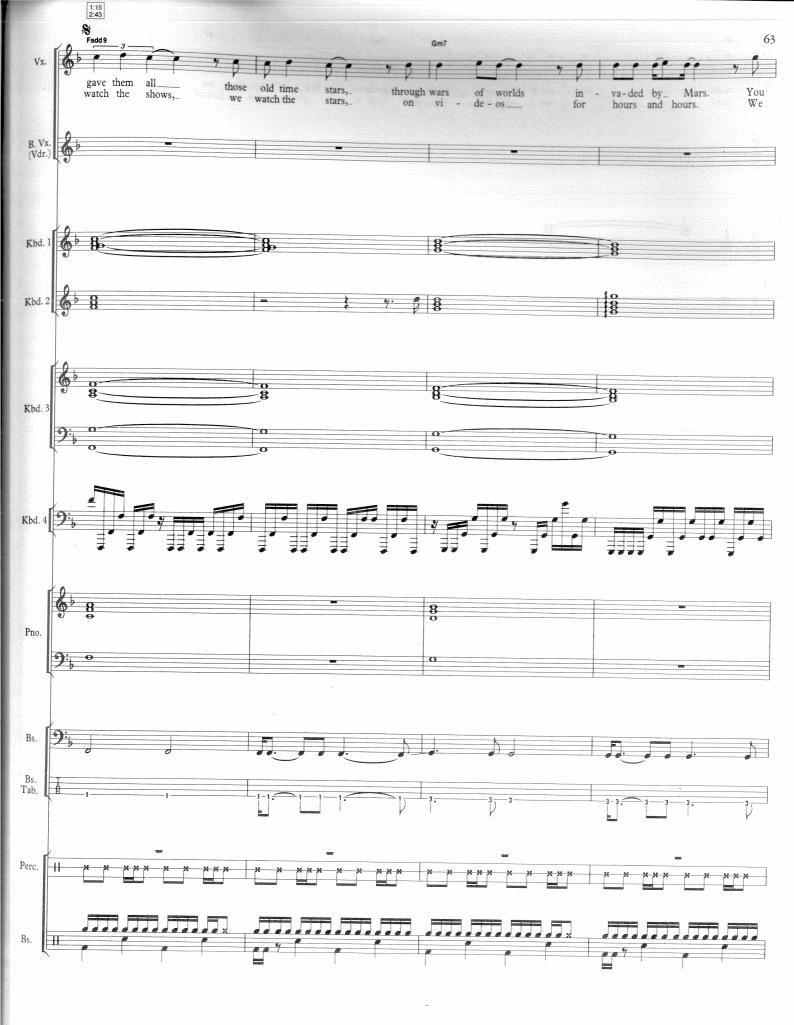


































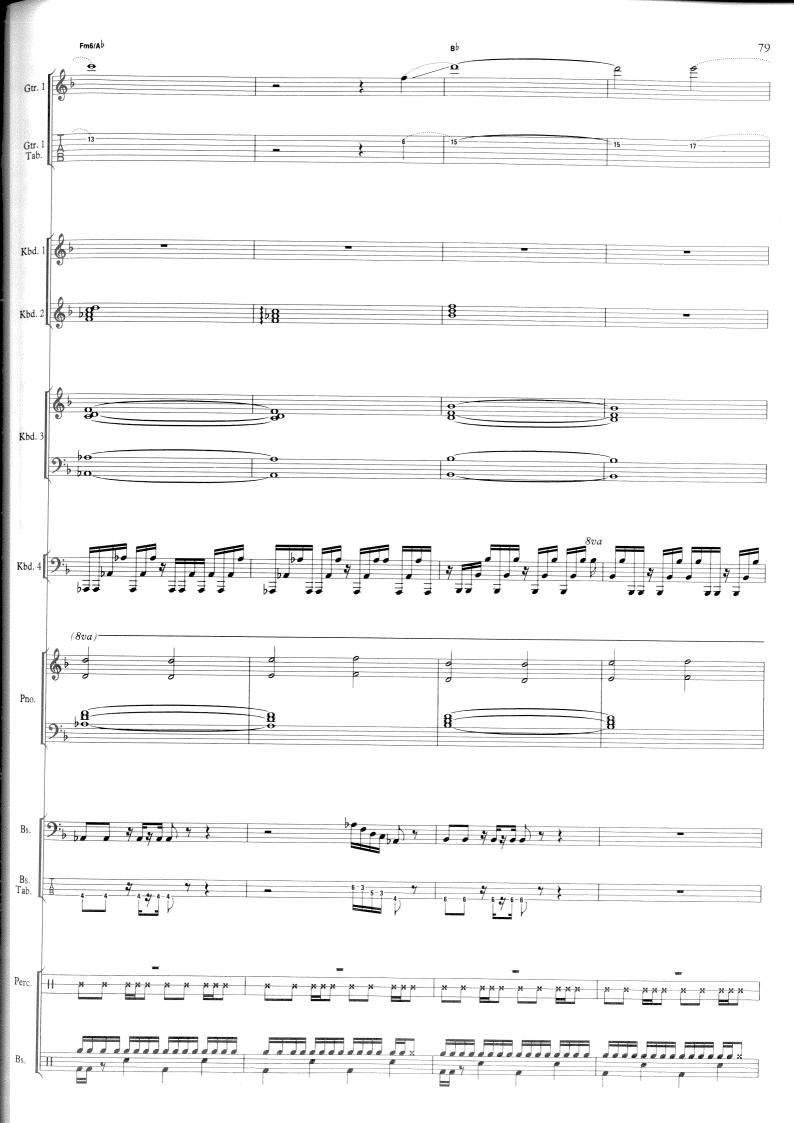












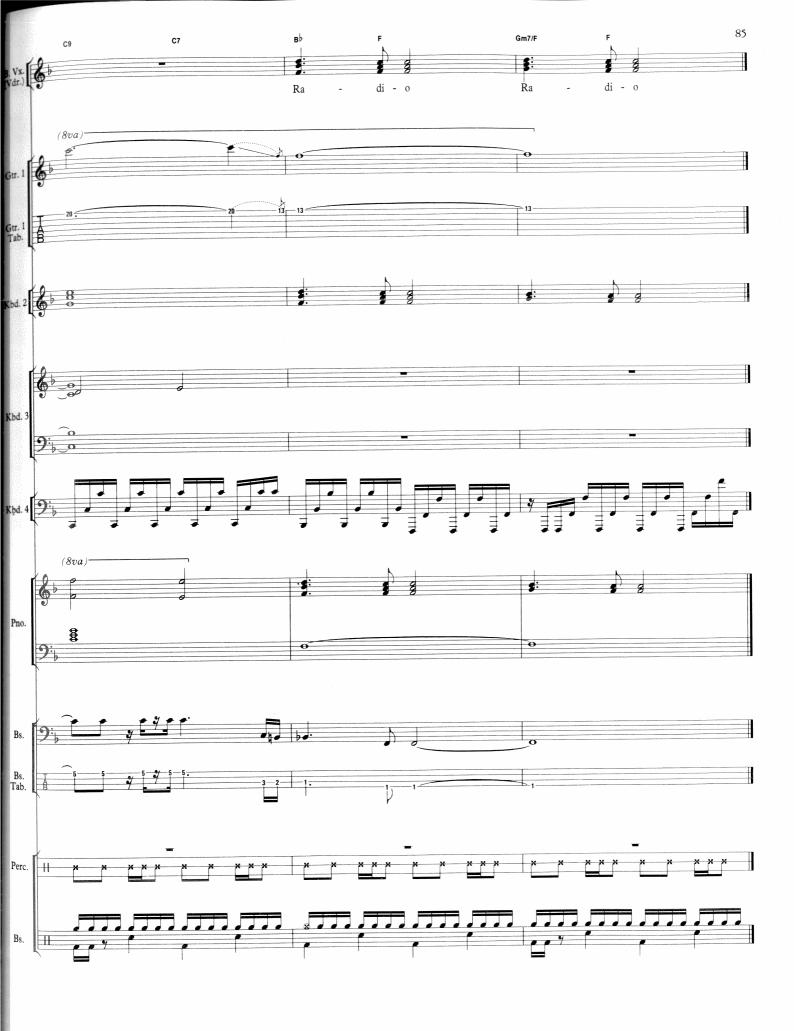






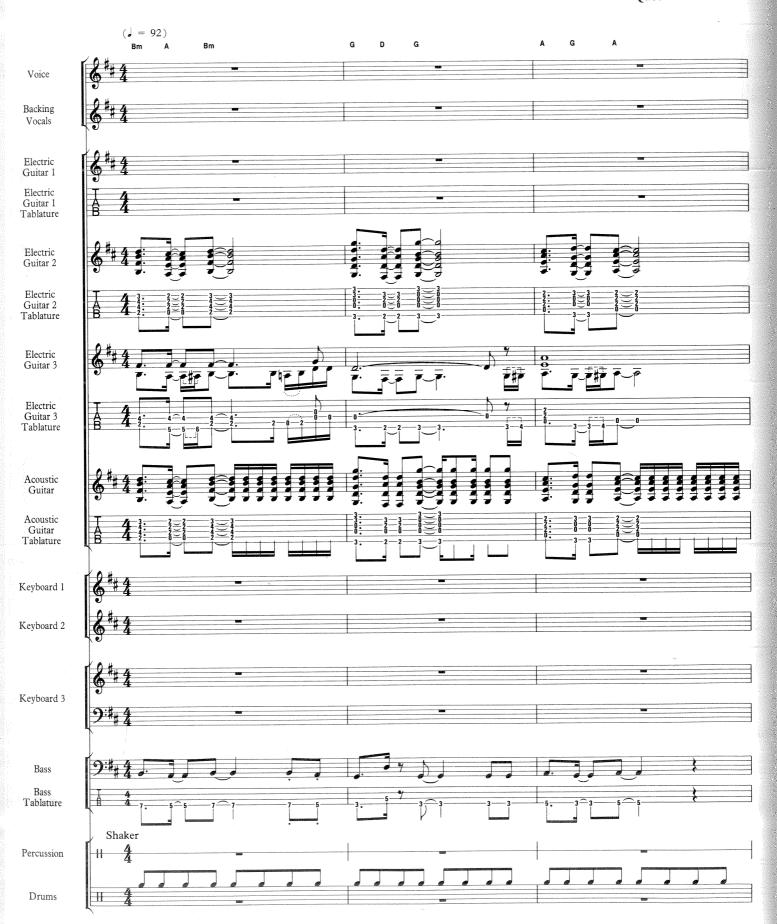






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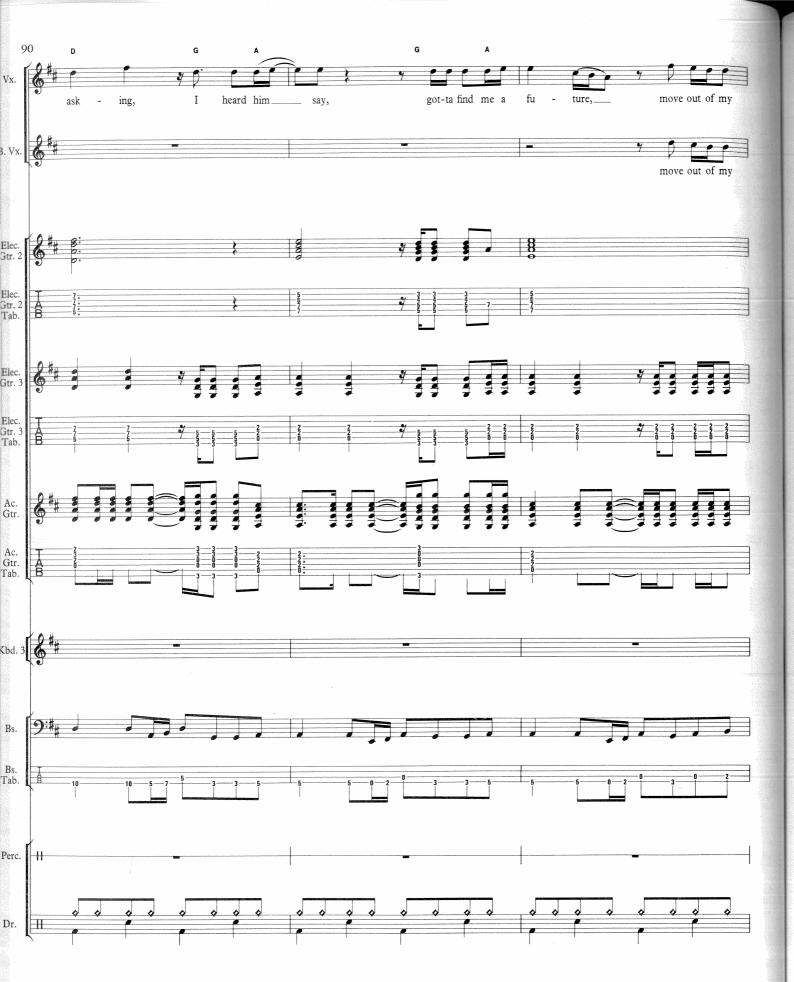
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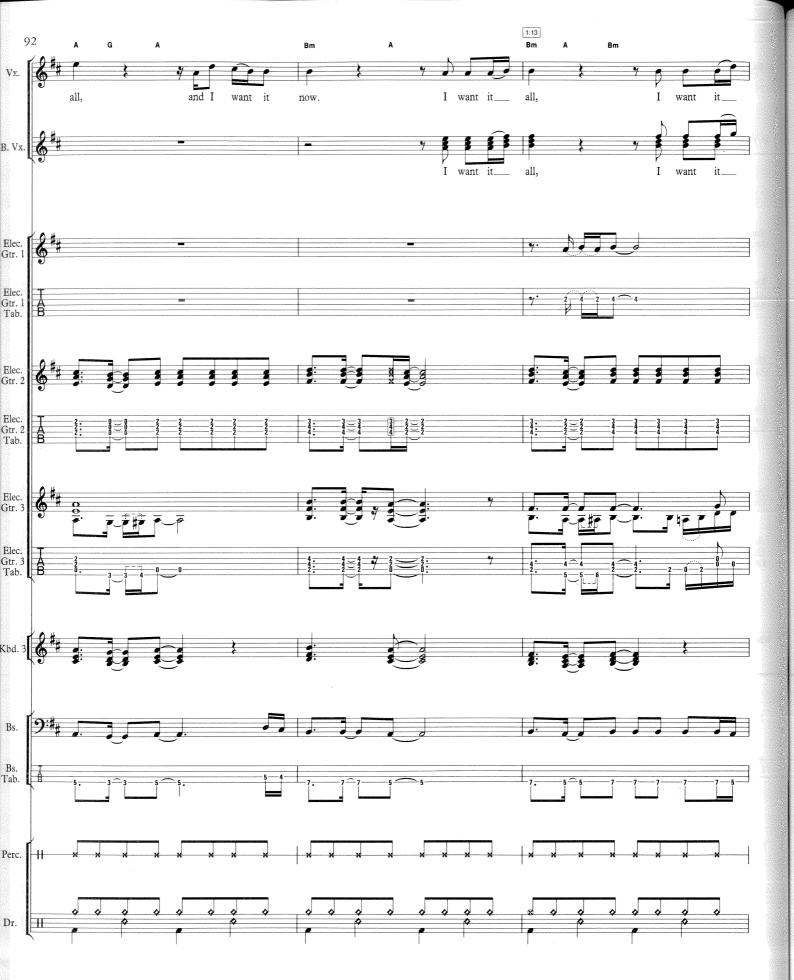






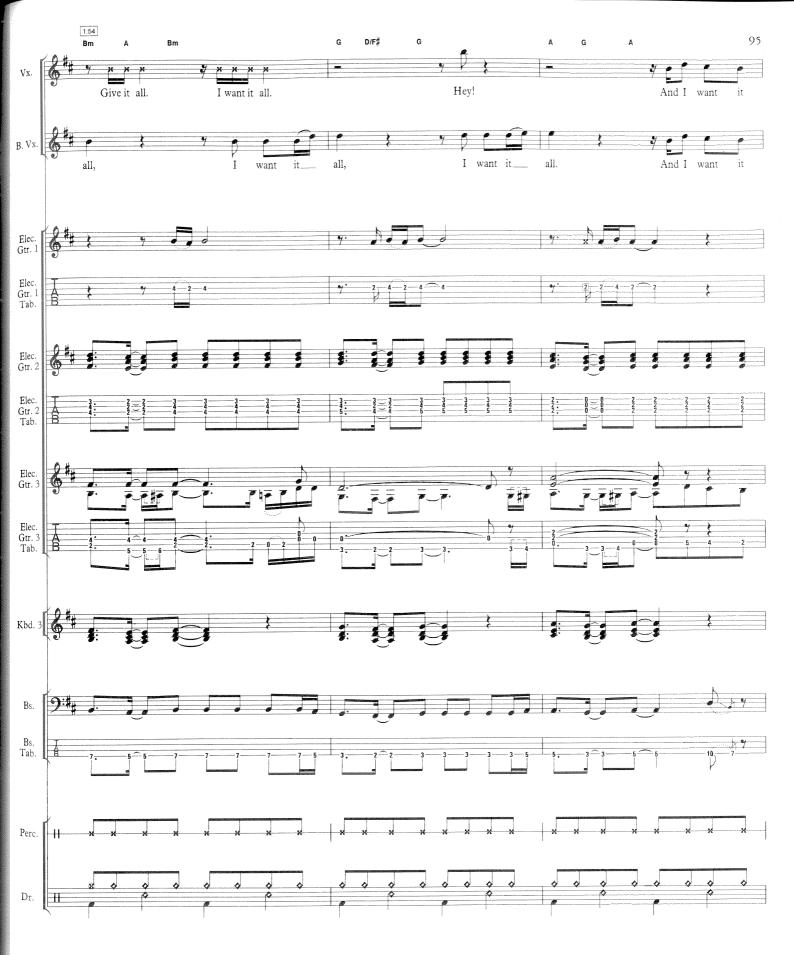










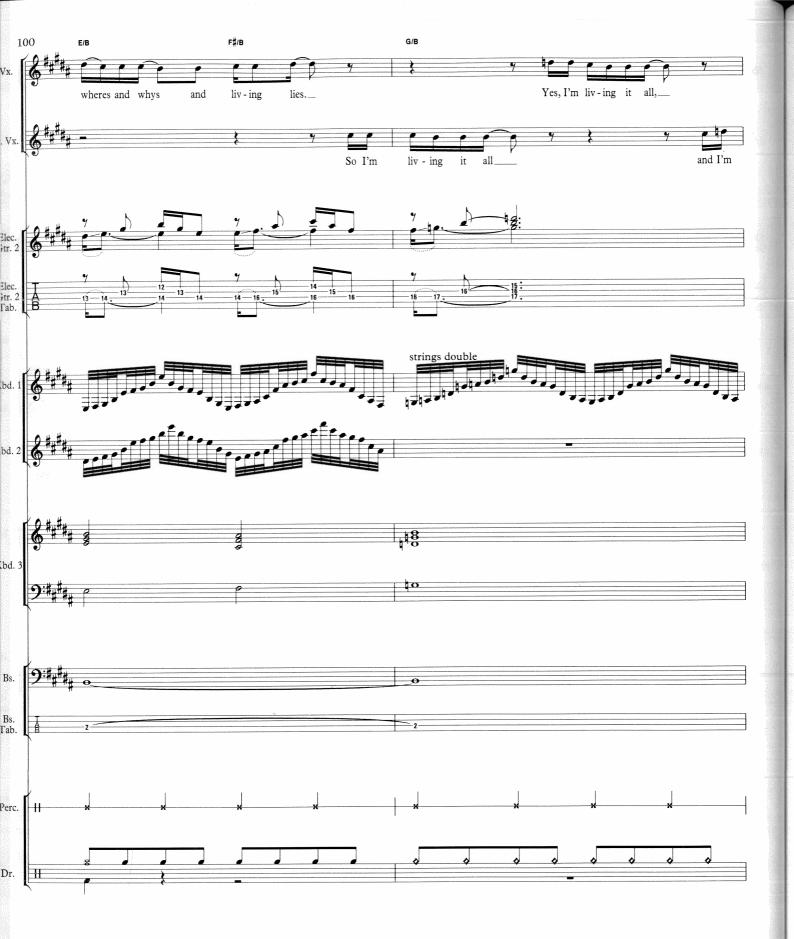


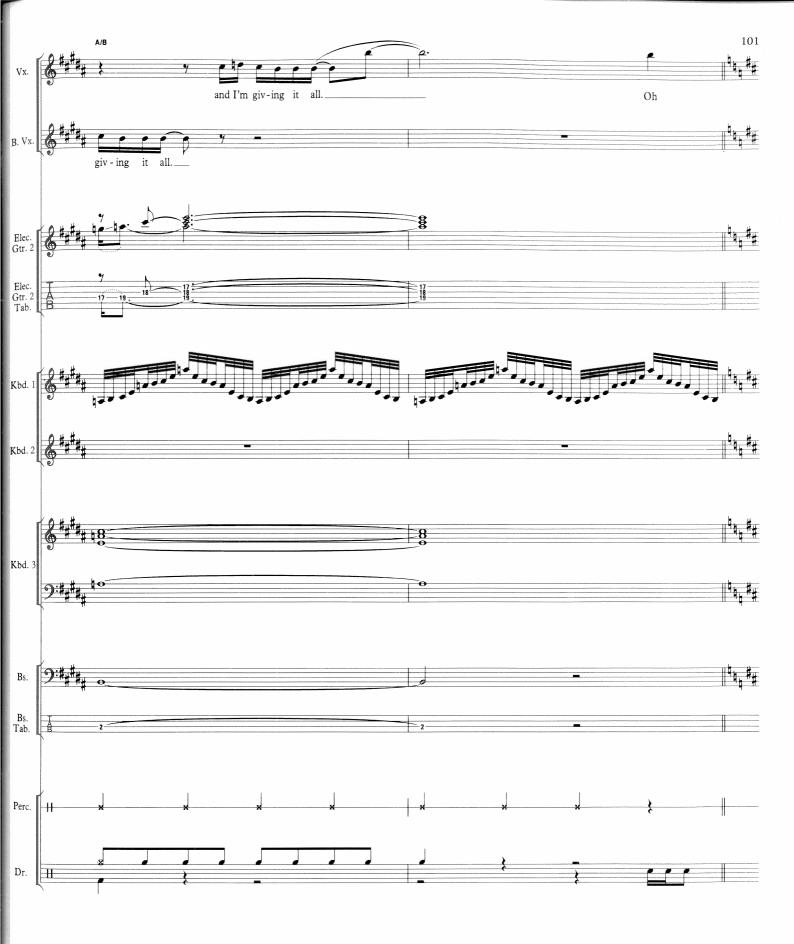




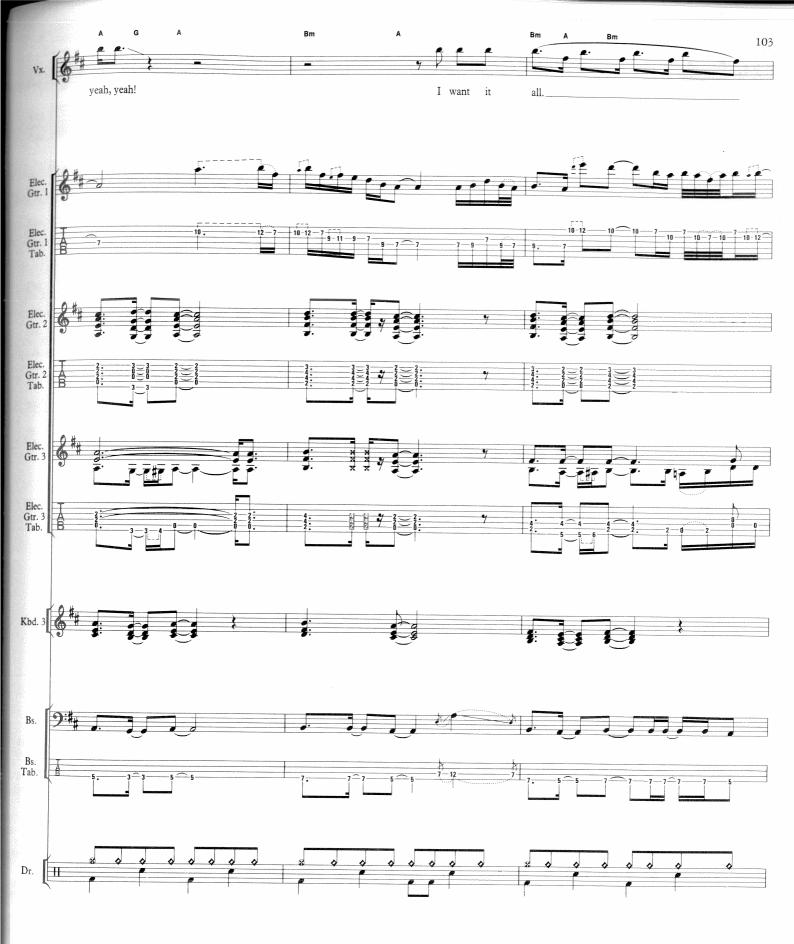














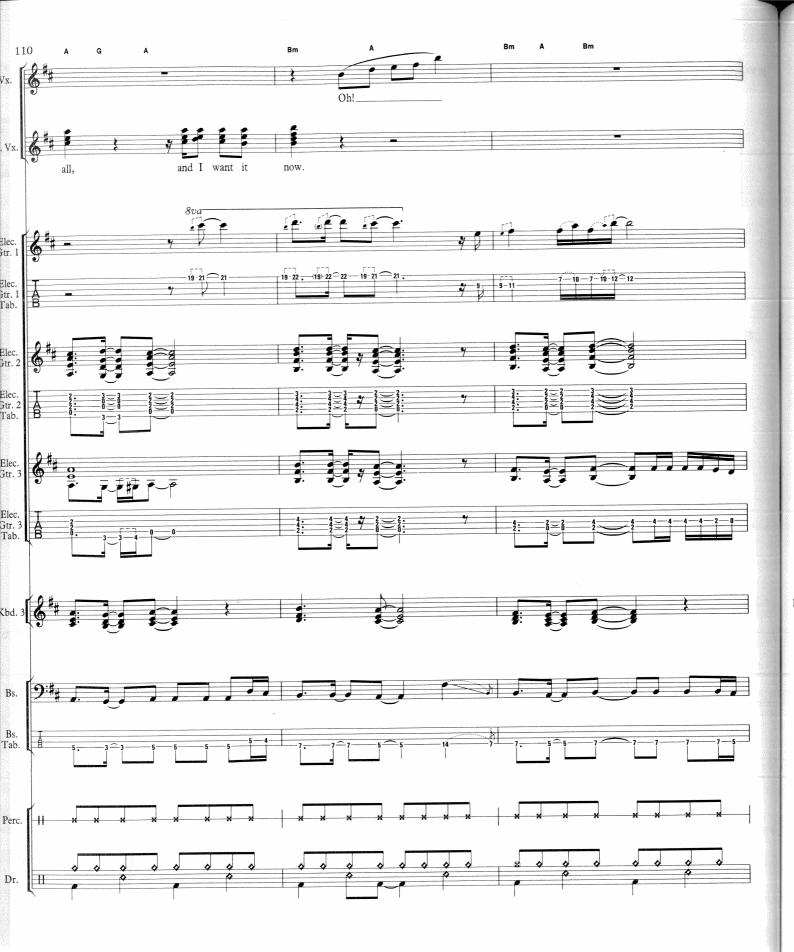








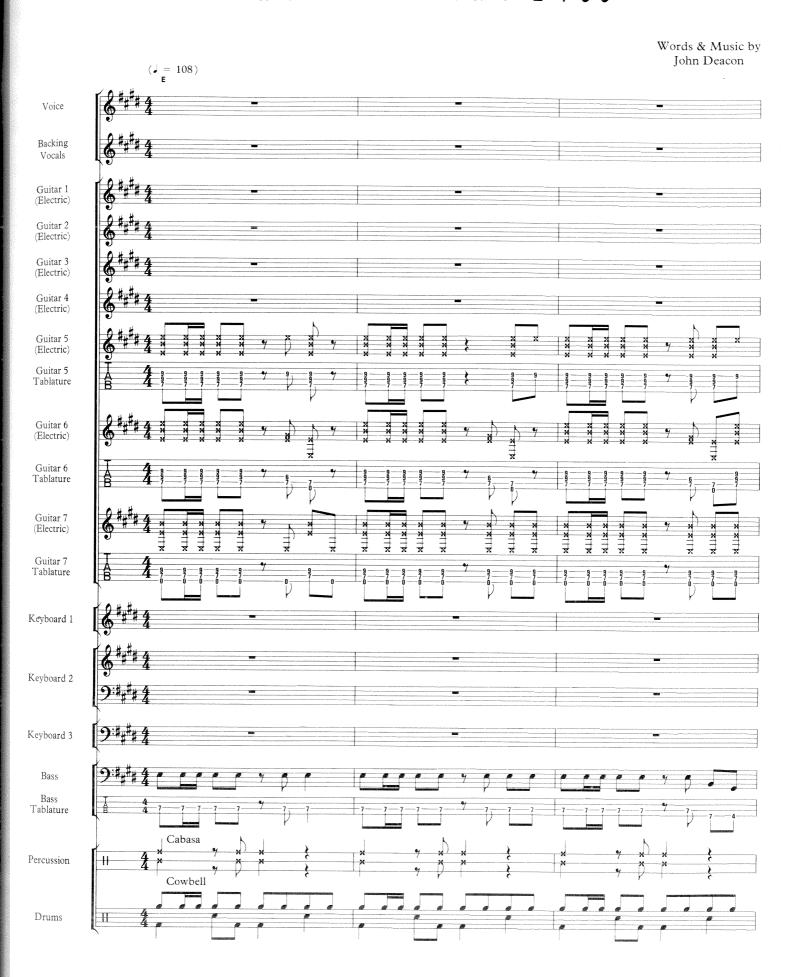






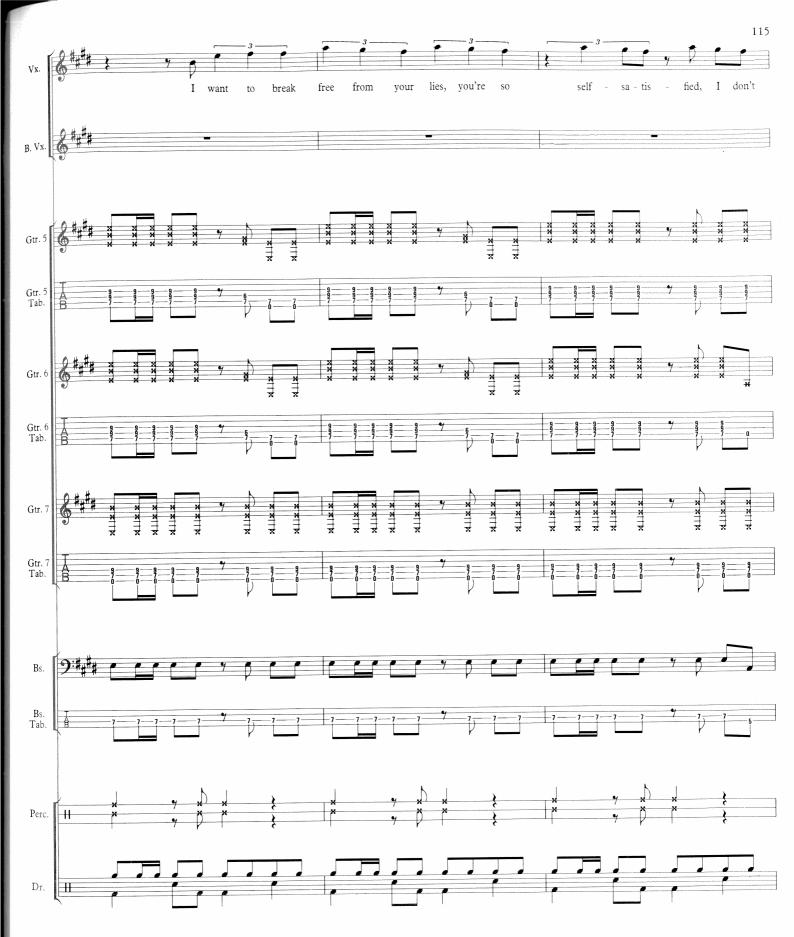


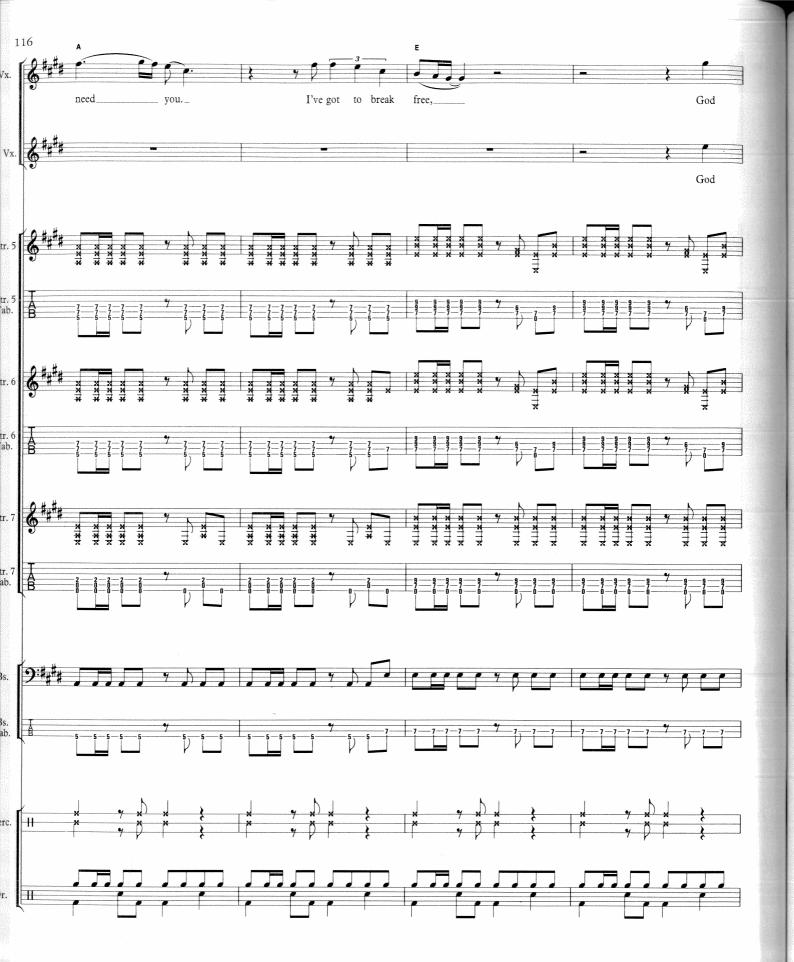
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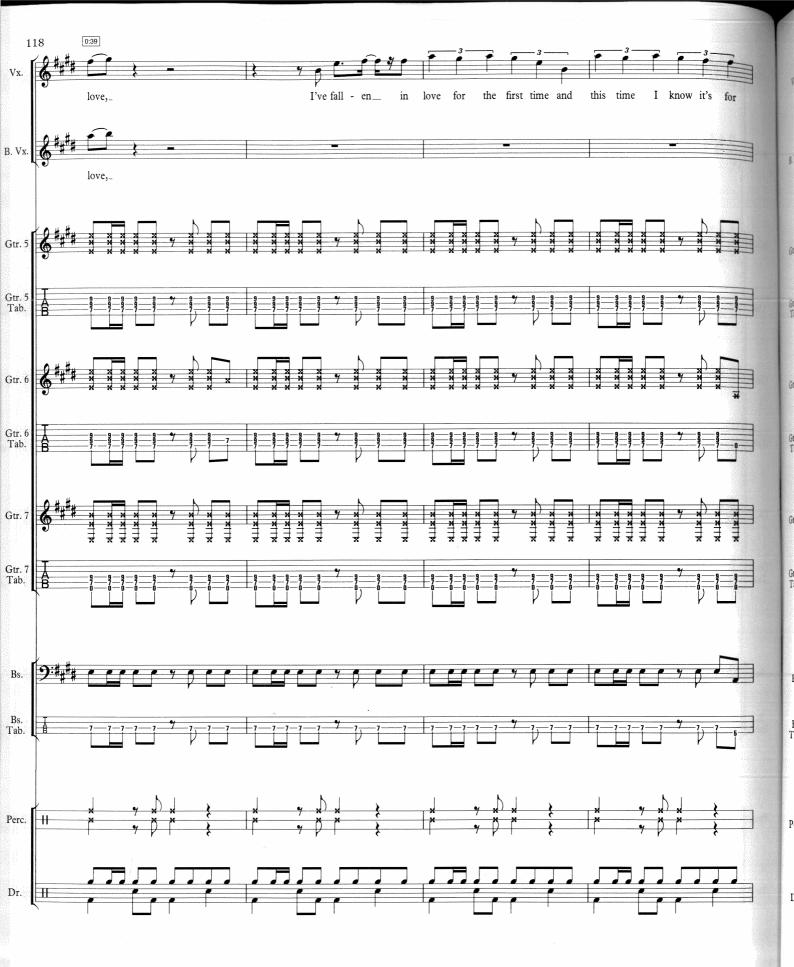
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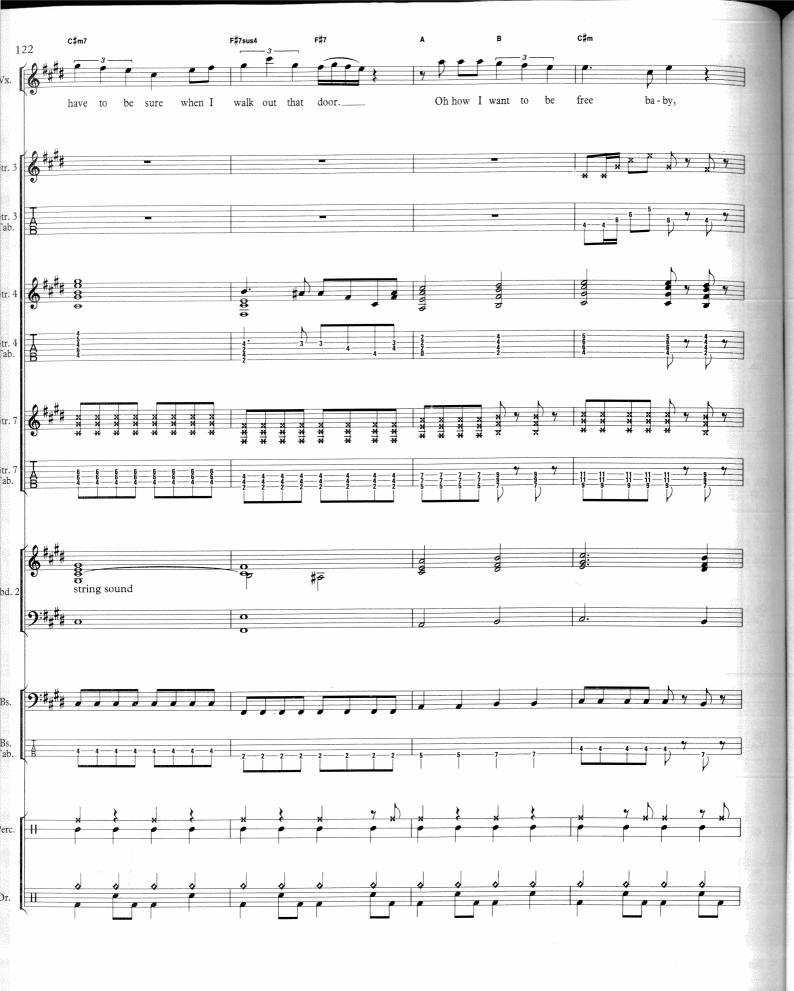




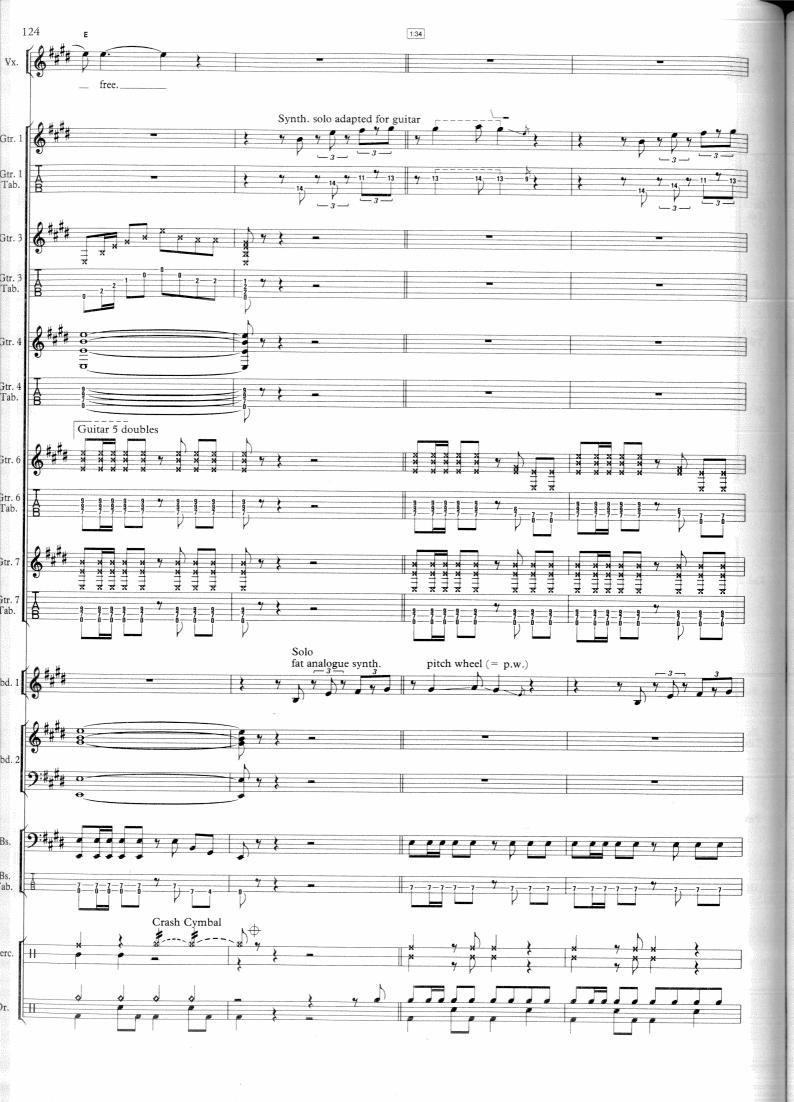




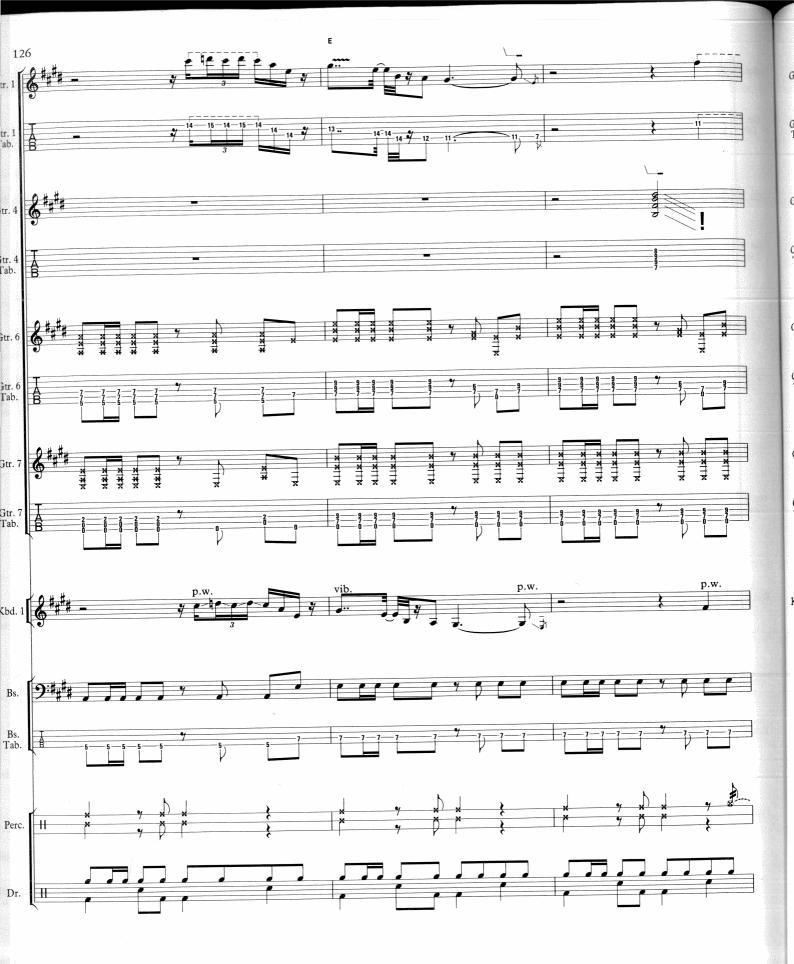


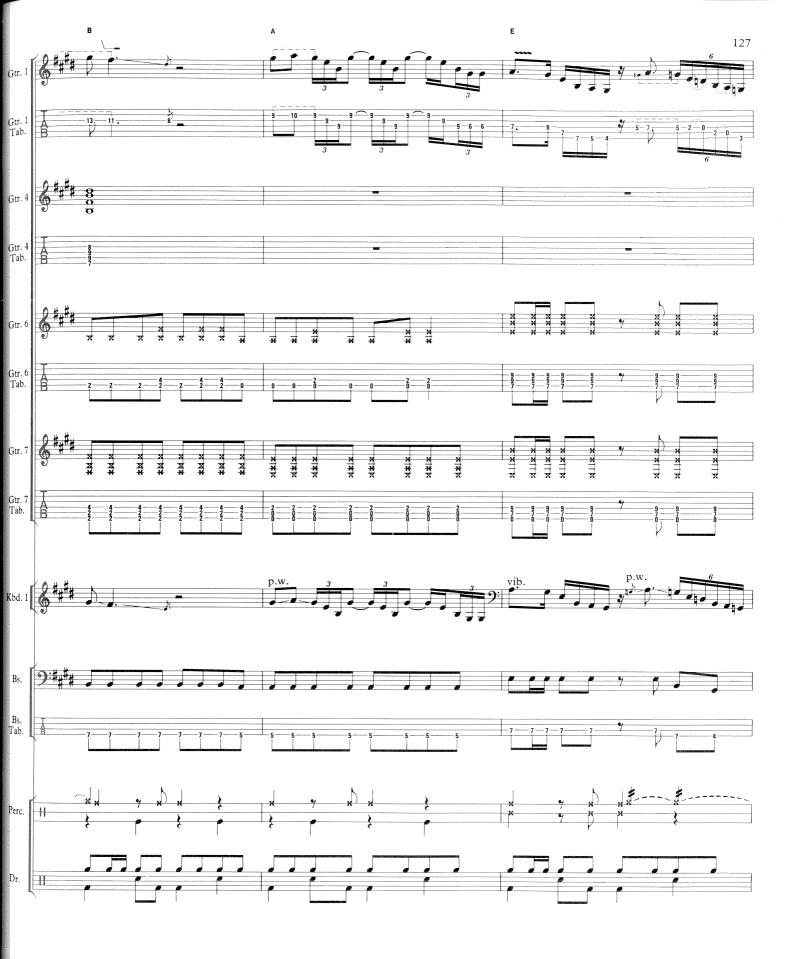








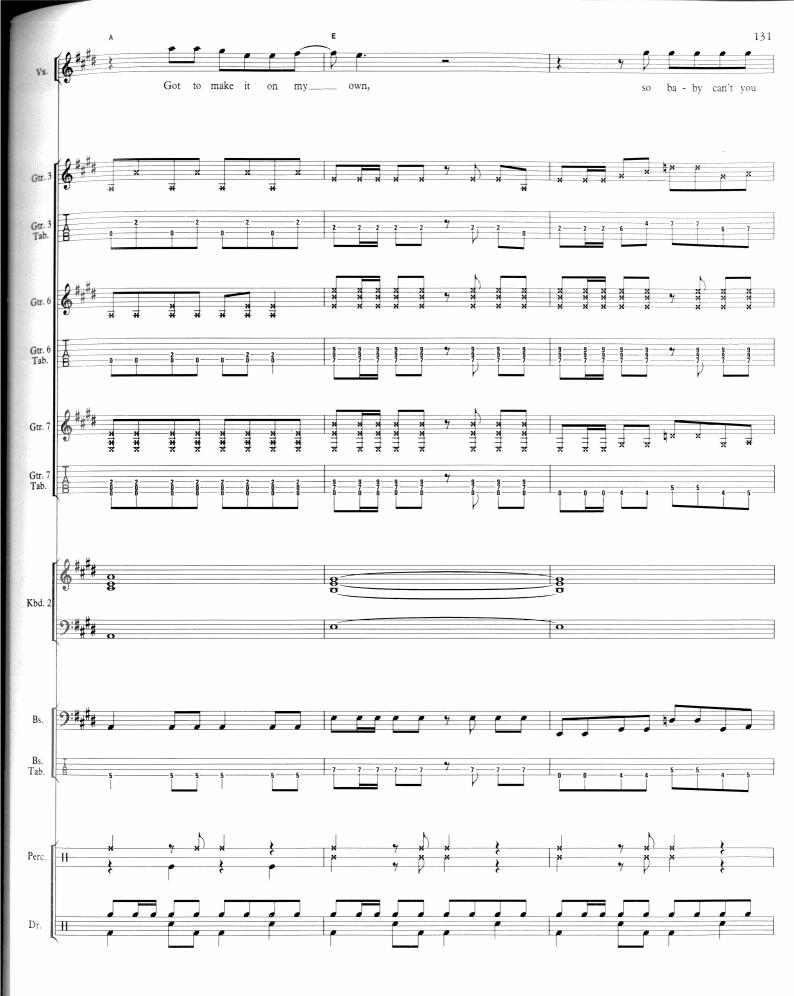






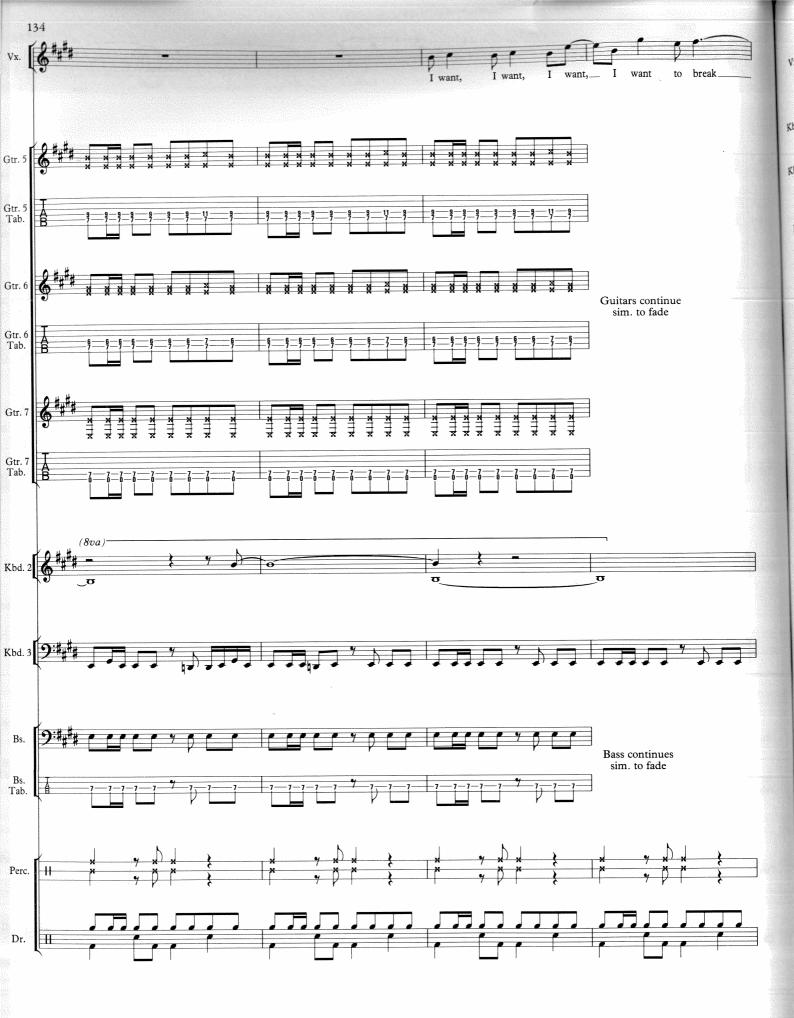








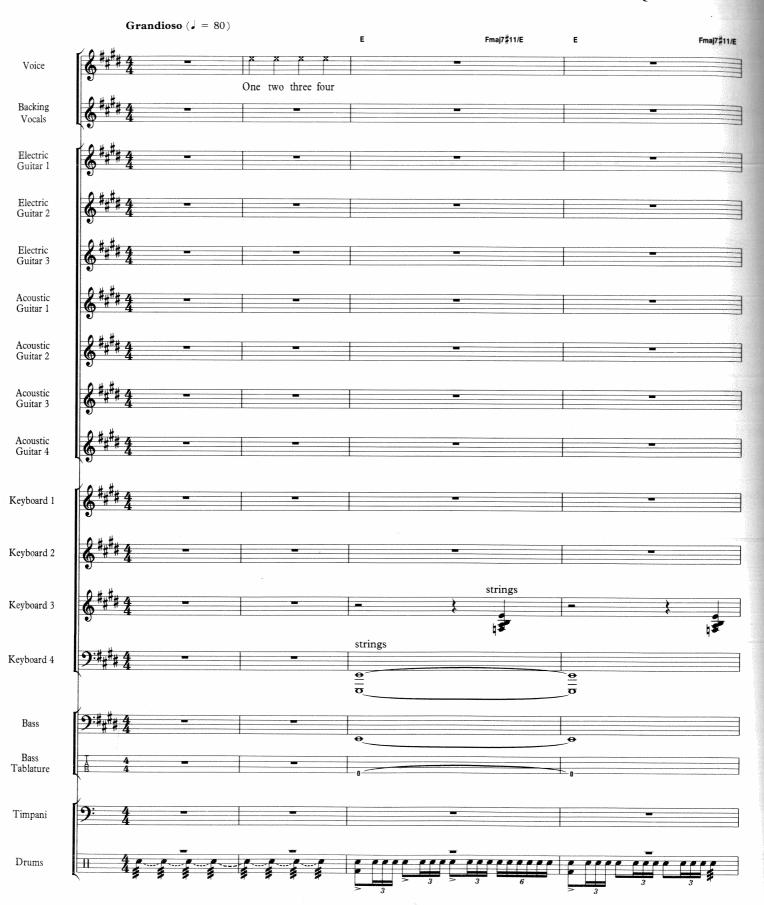






## Innuendo

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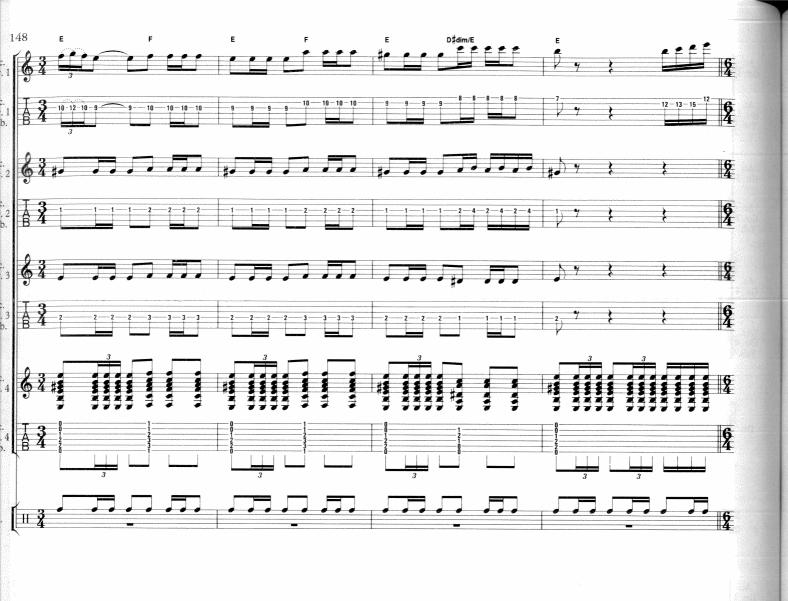






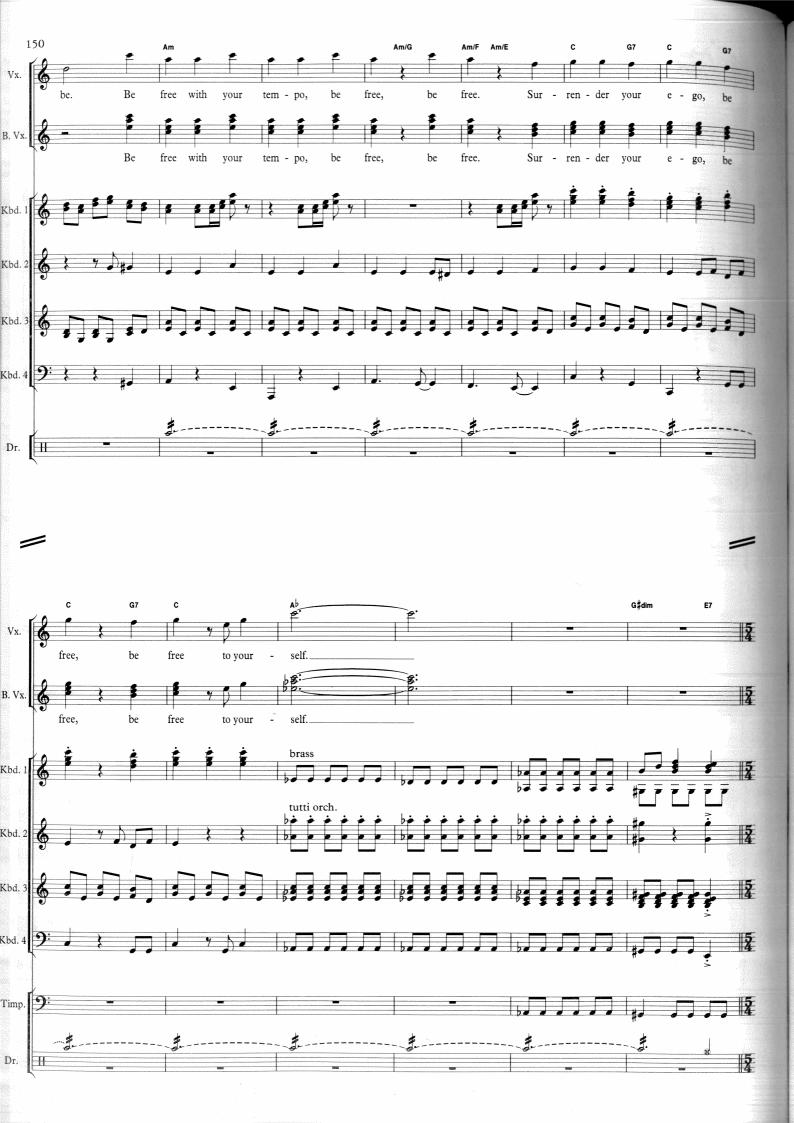


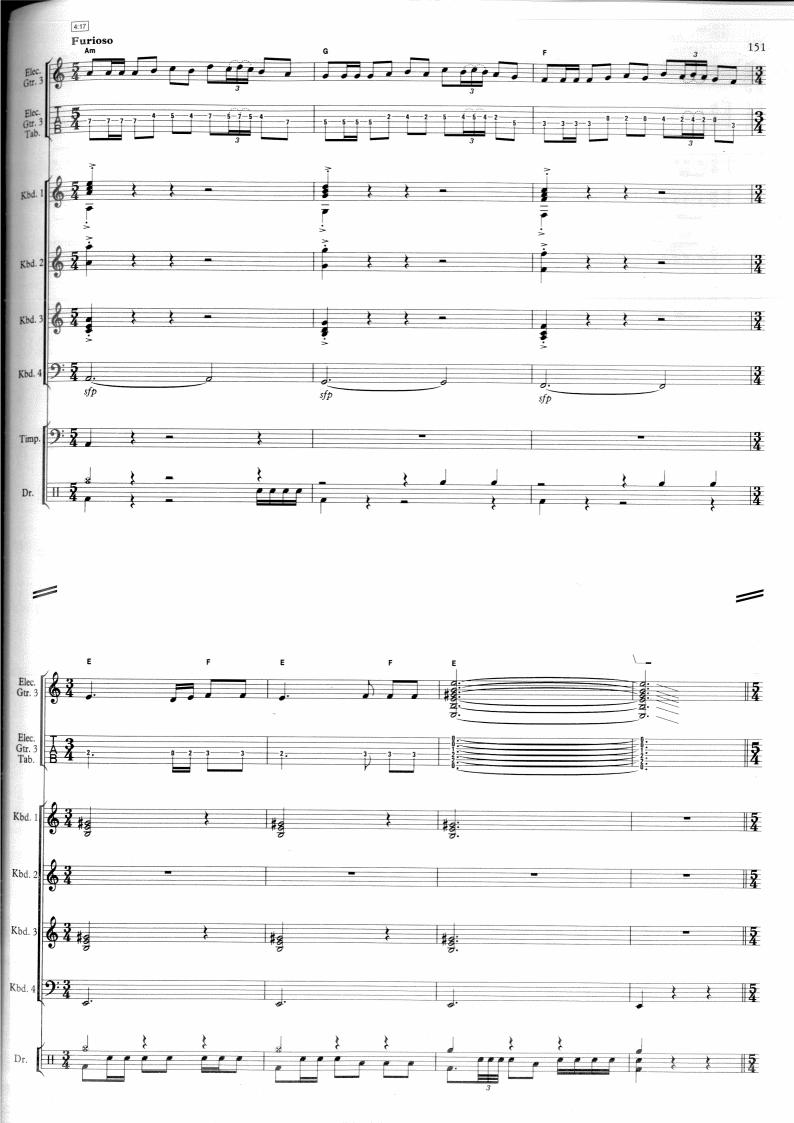


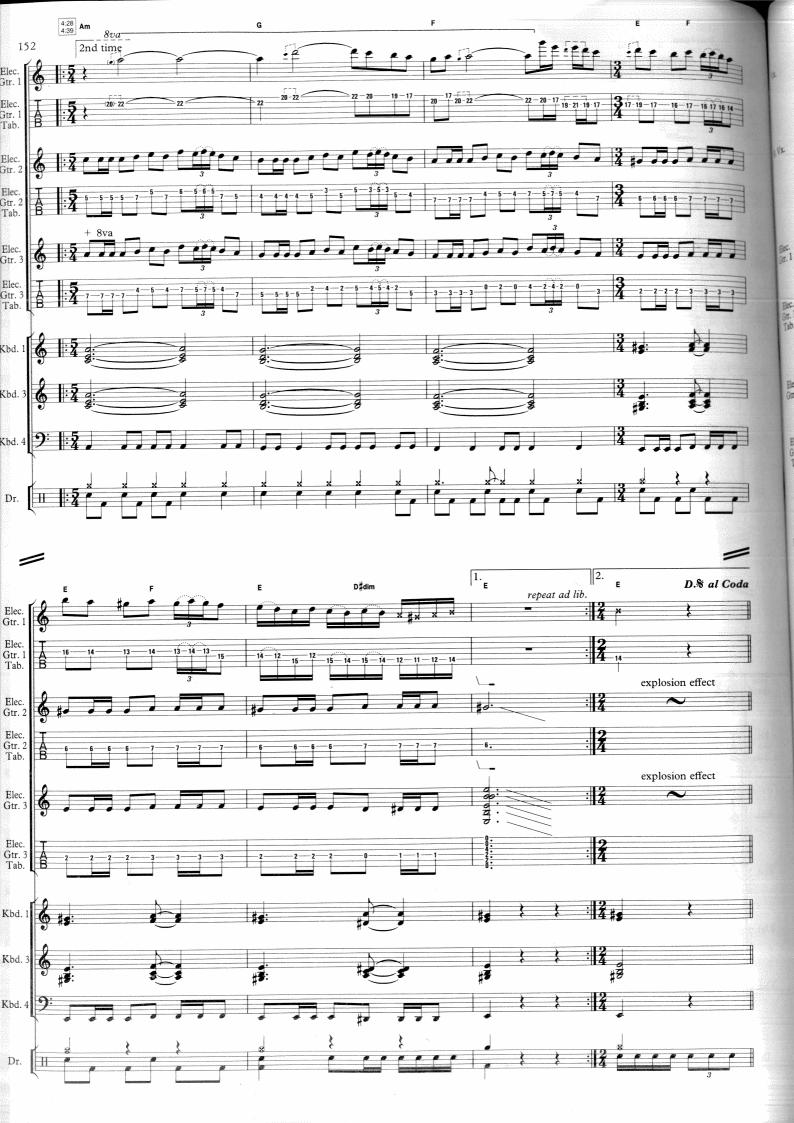


















## It's a Hard Life

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## Breakthru

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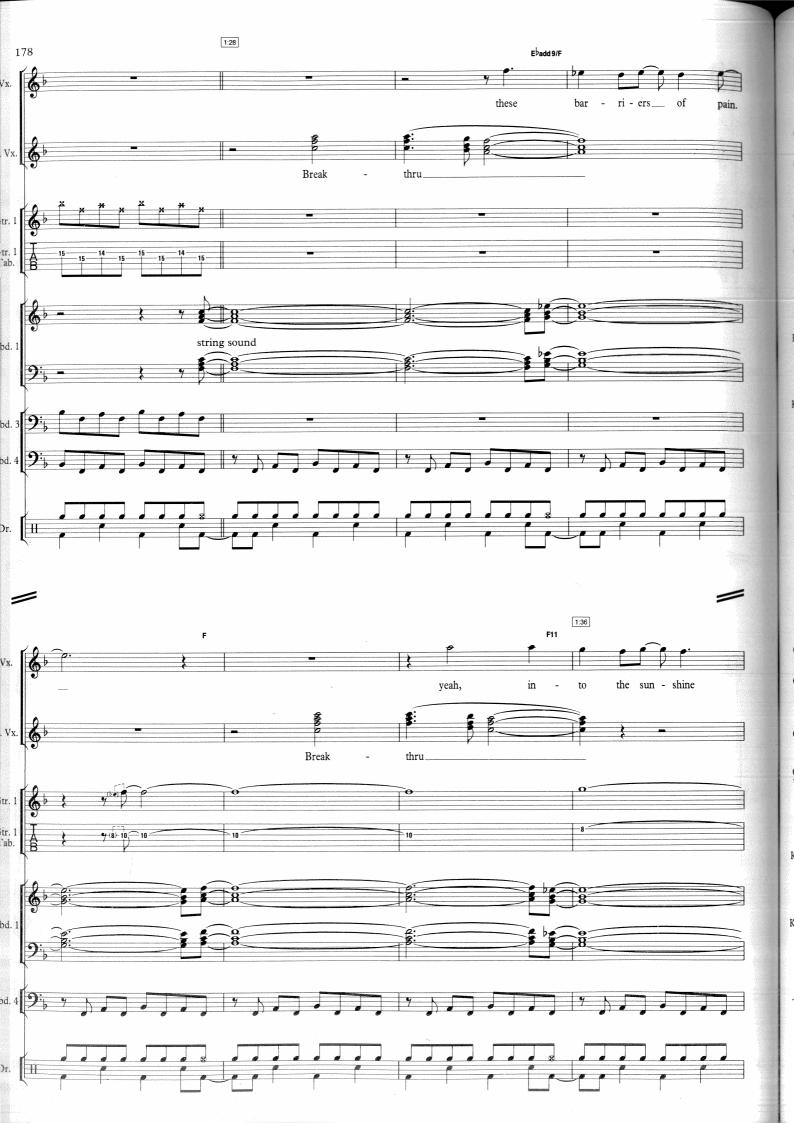




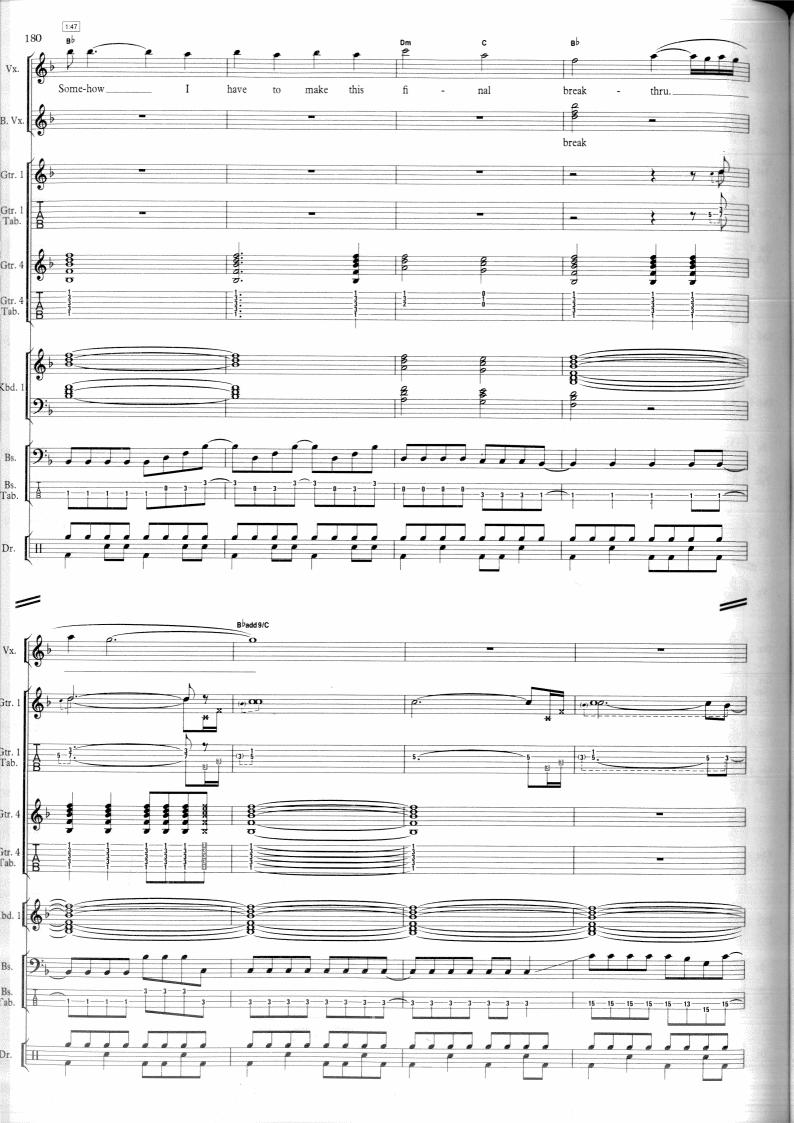






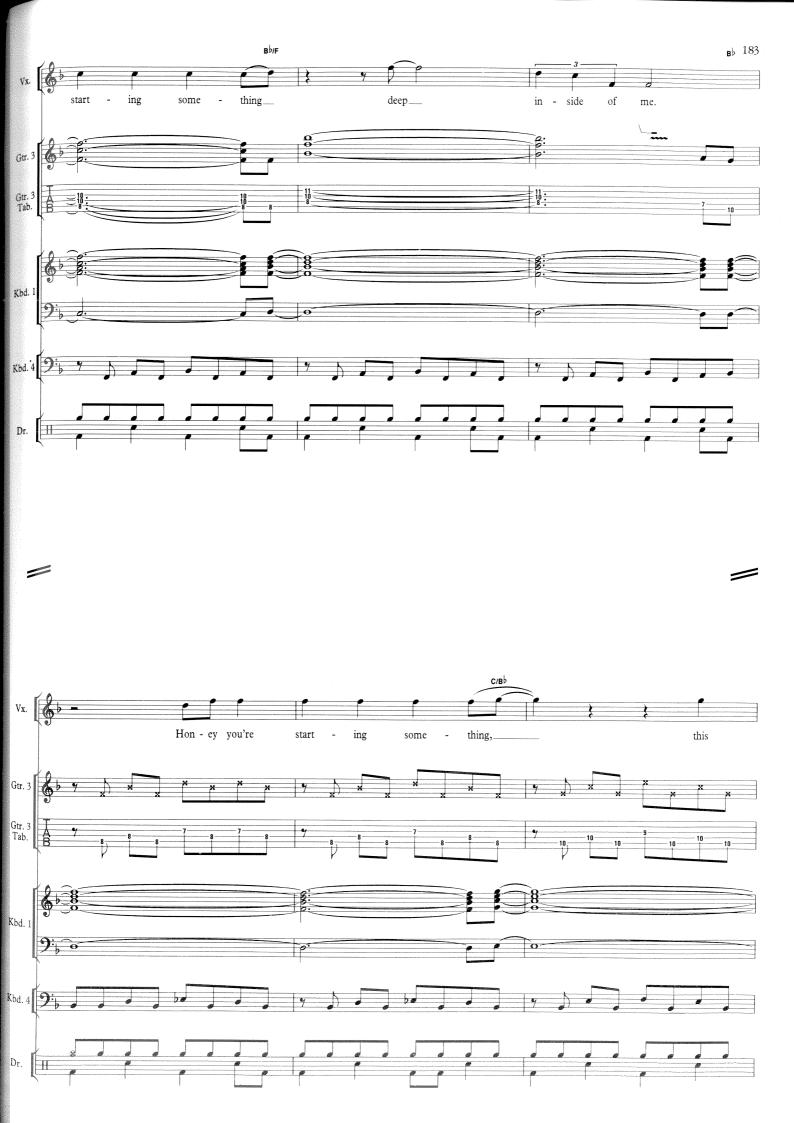


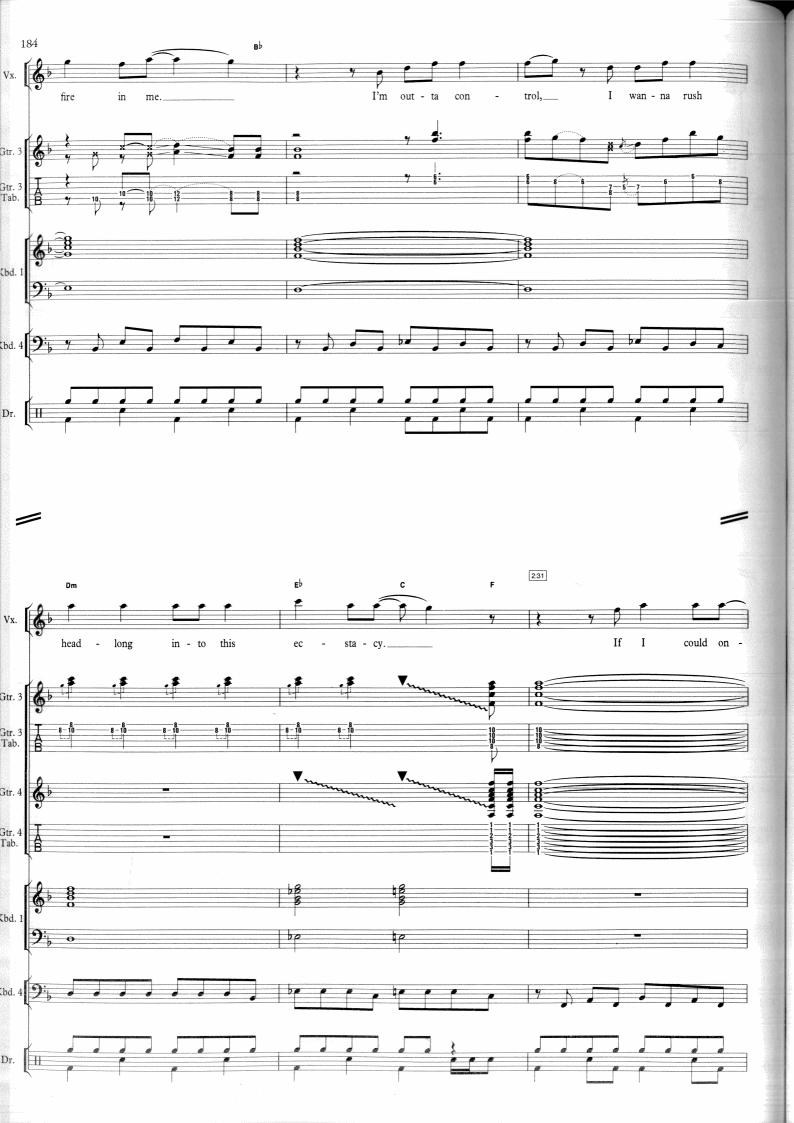


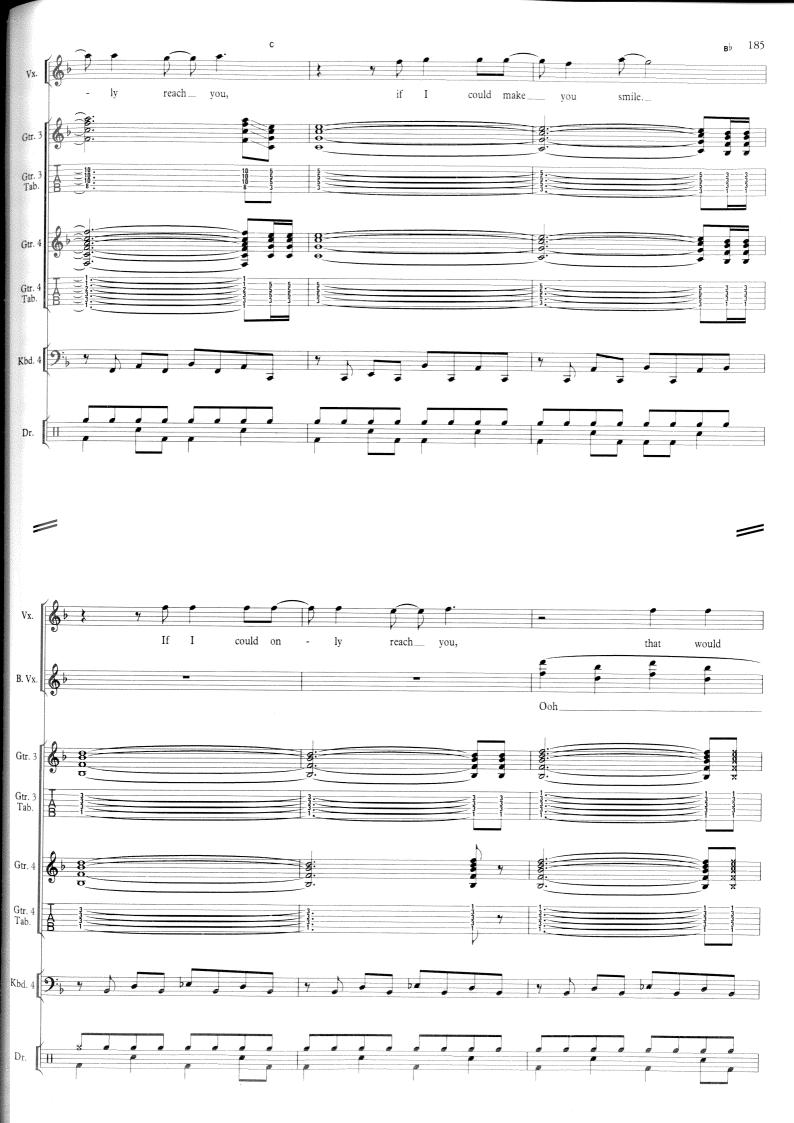


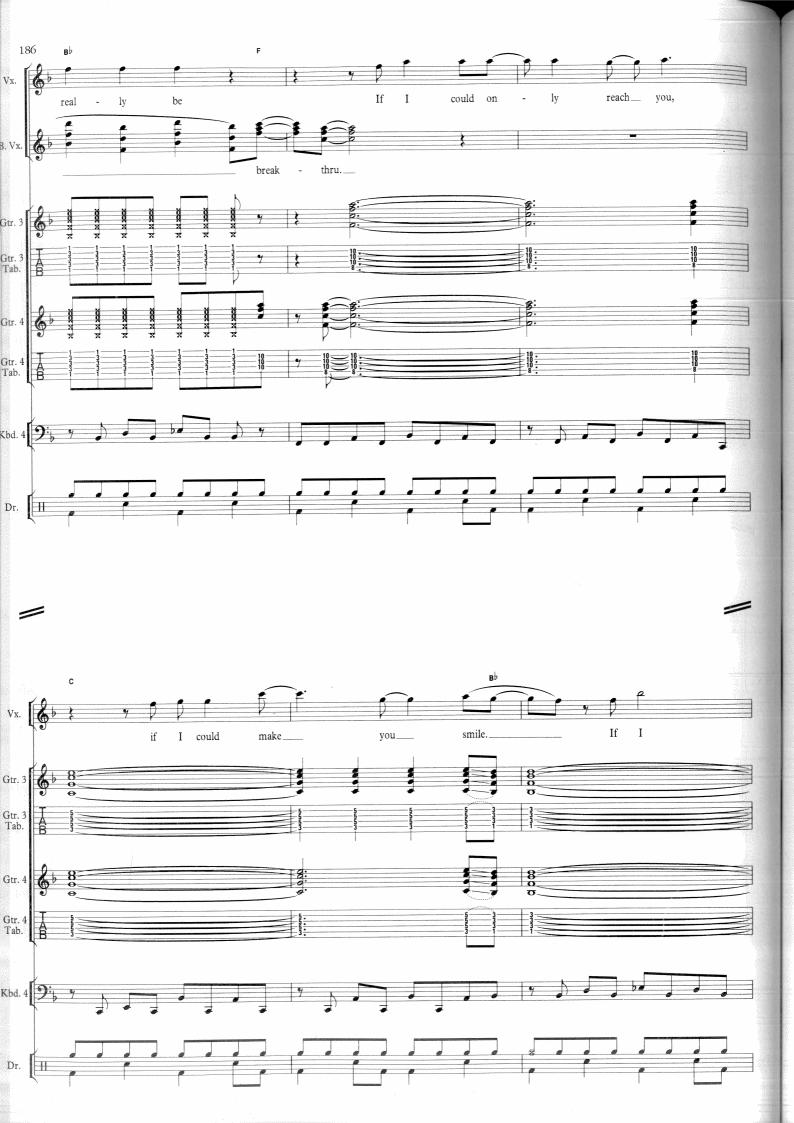








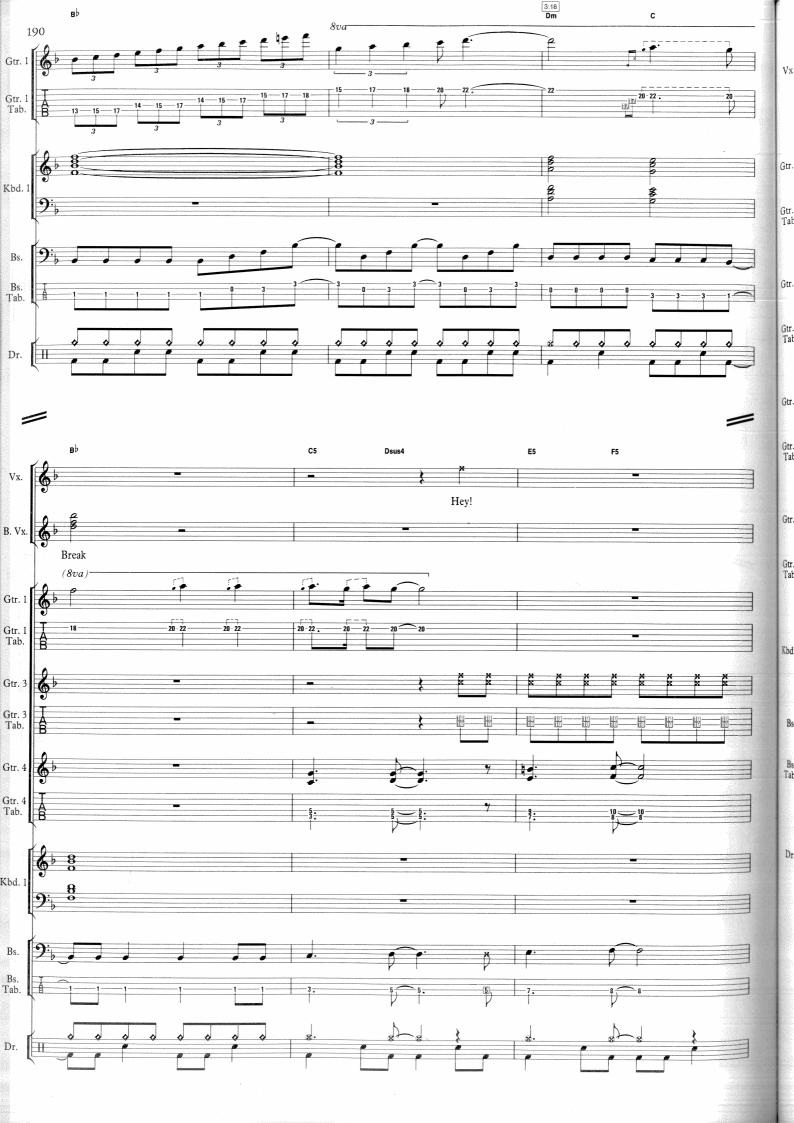






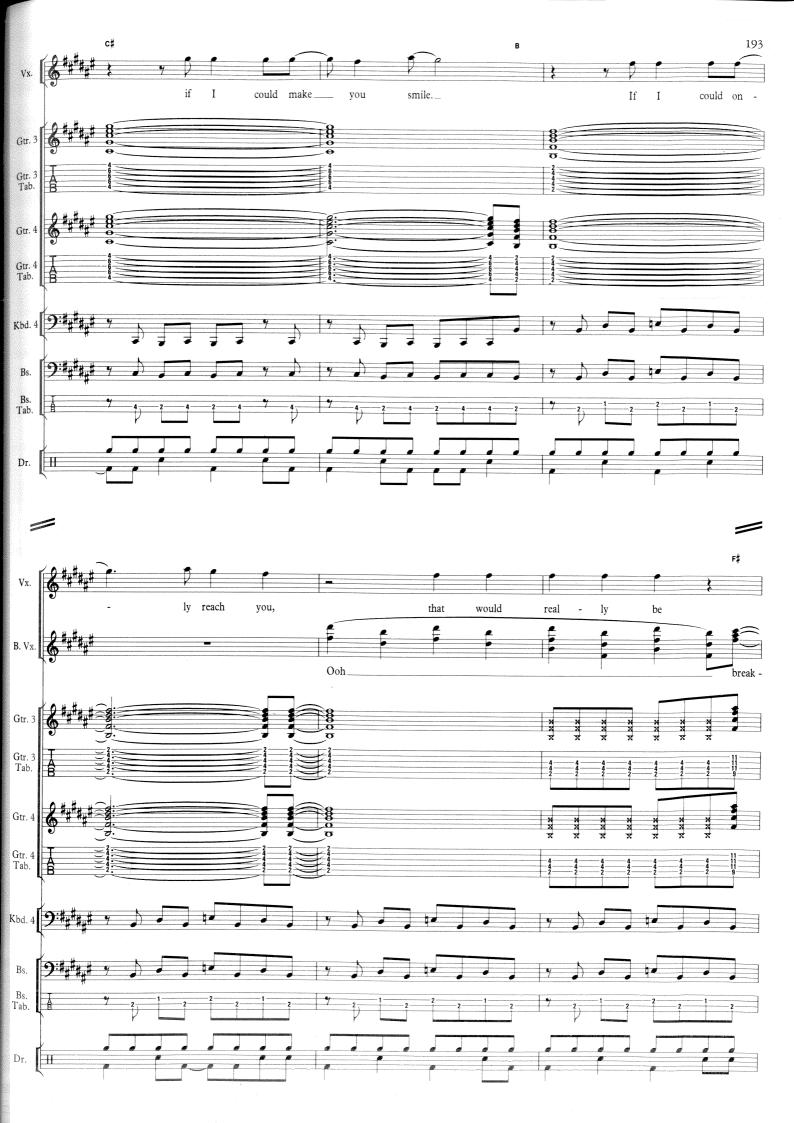


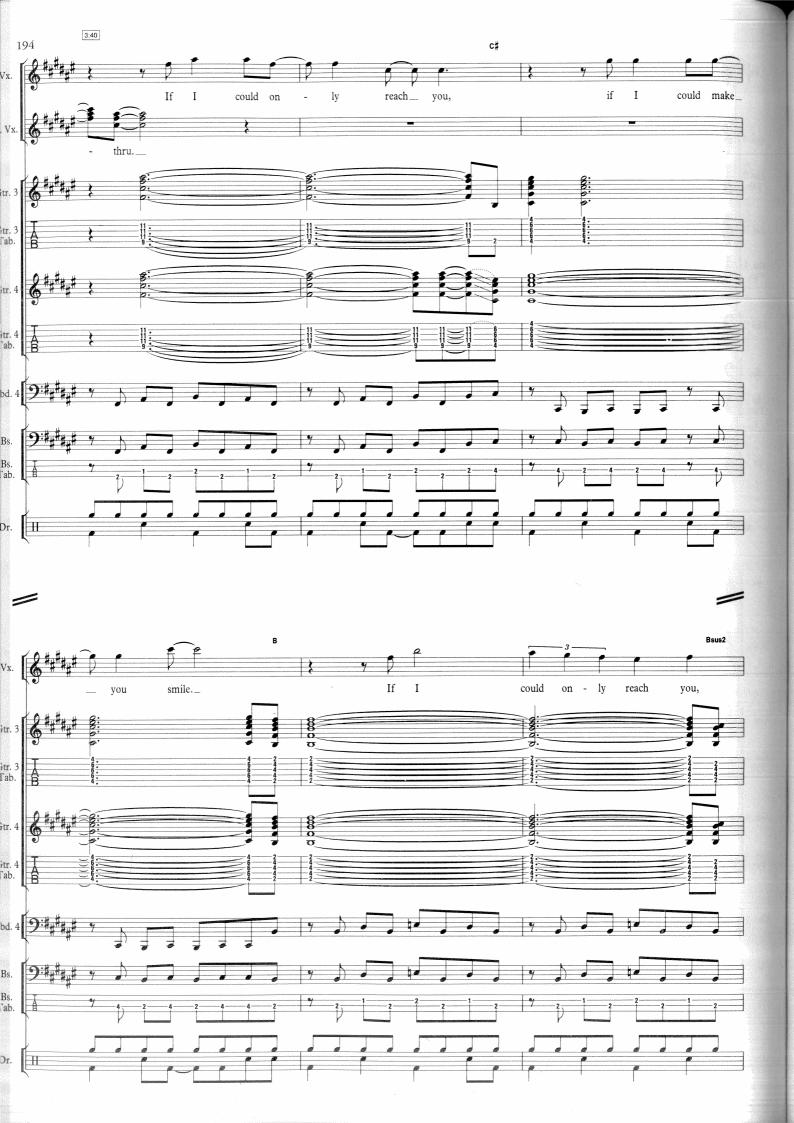




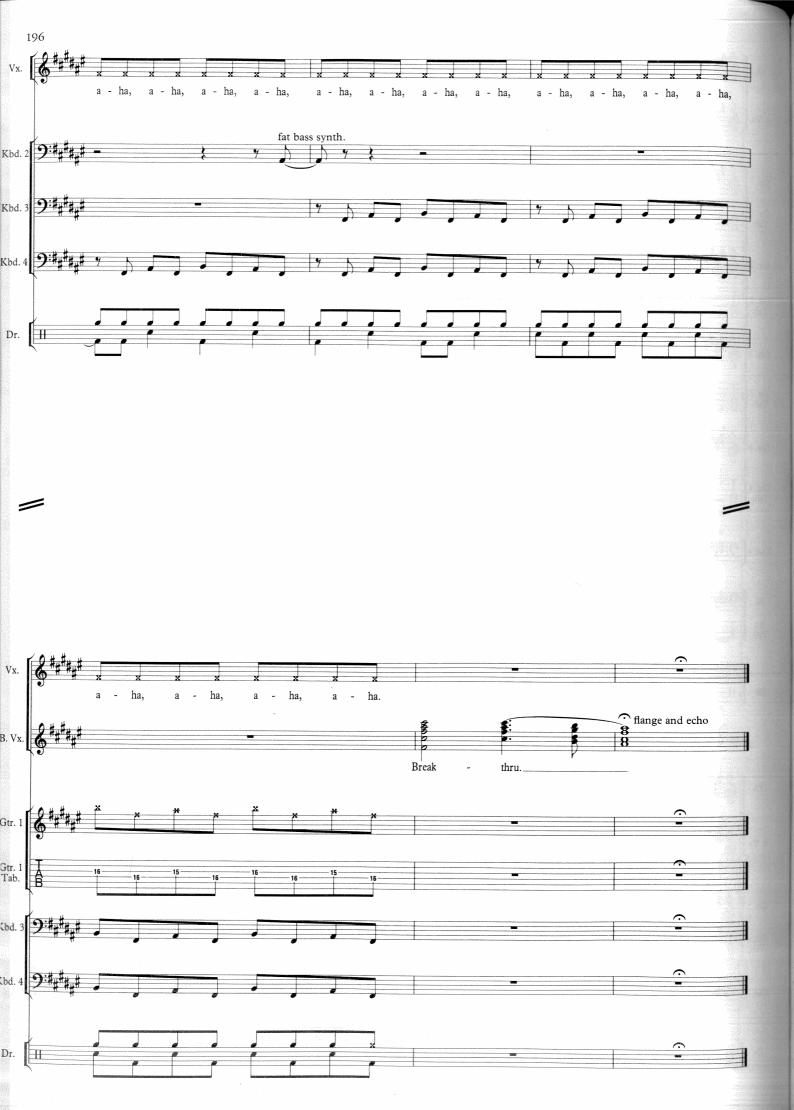








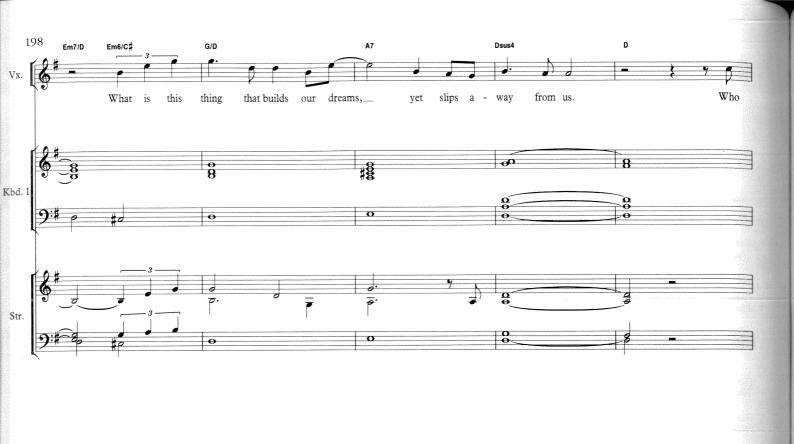




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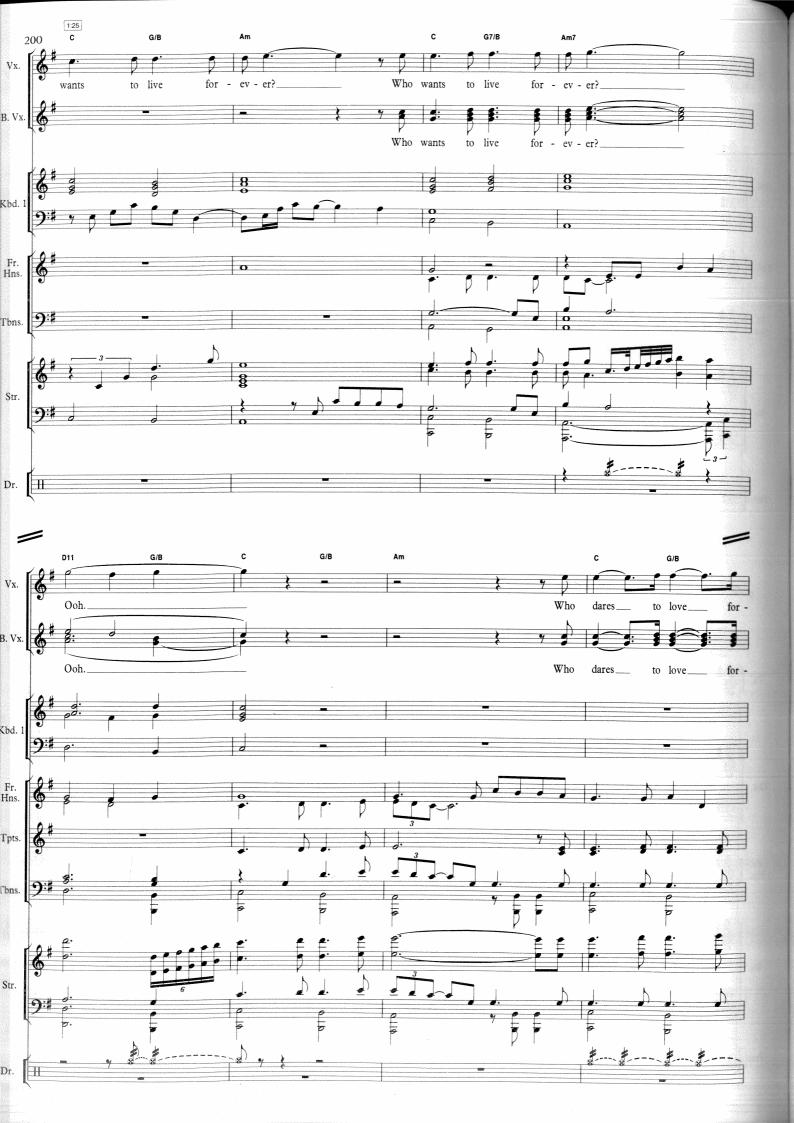
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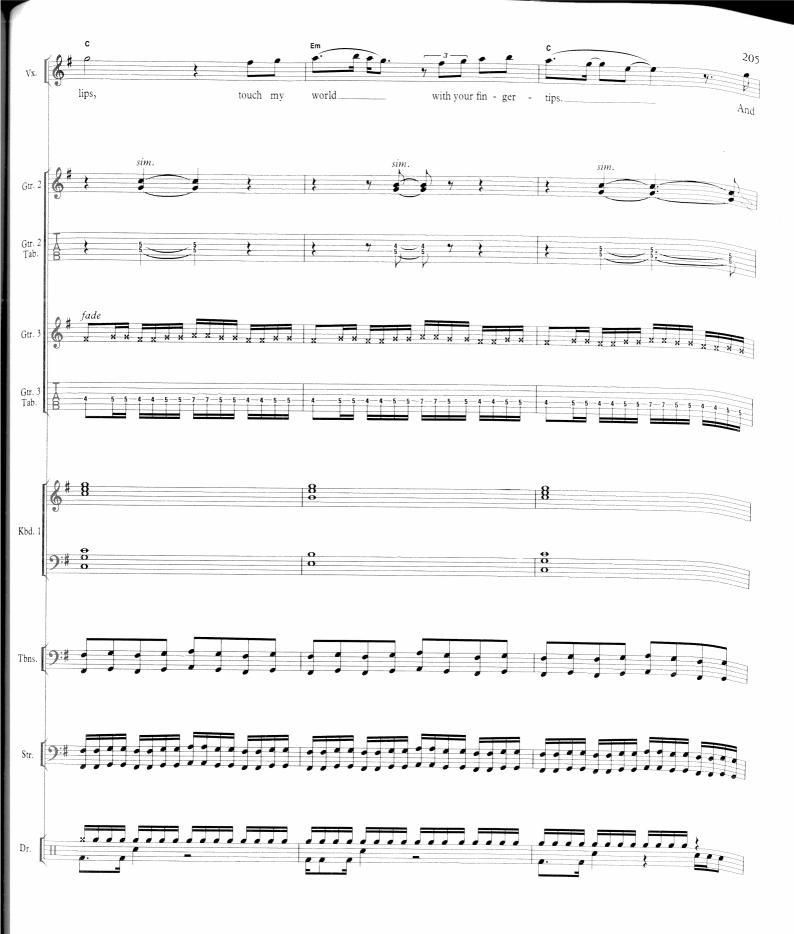
























## Headlong

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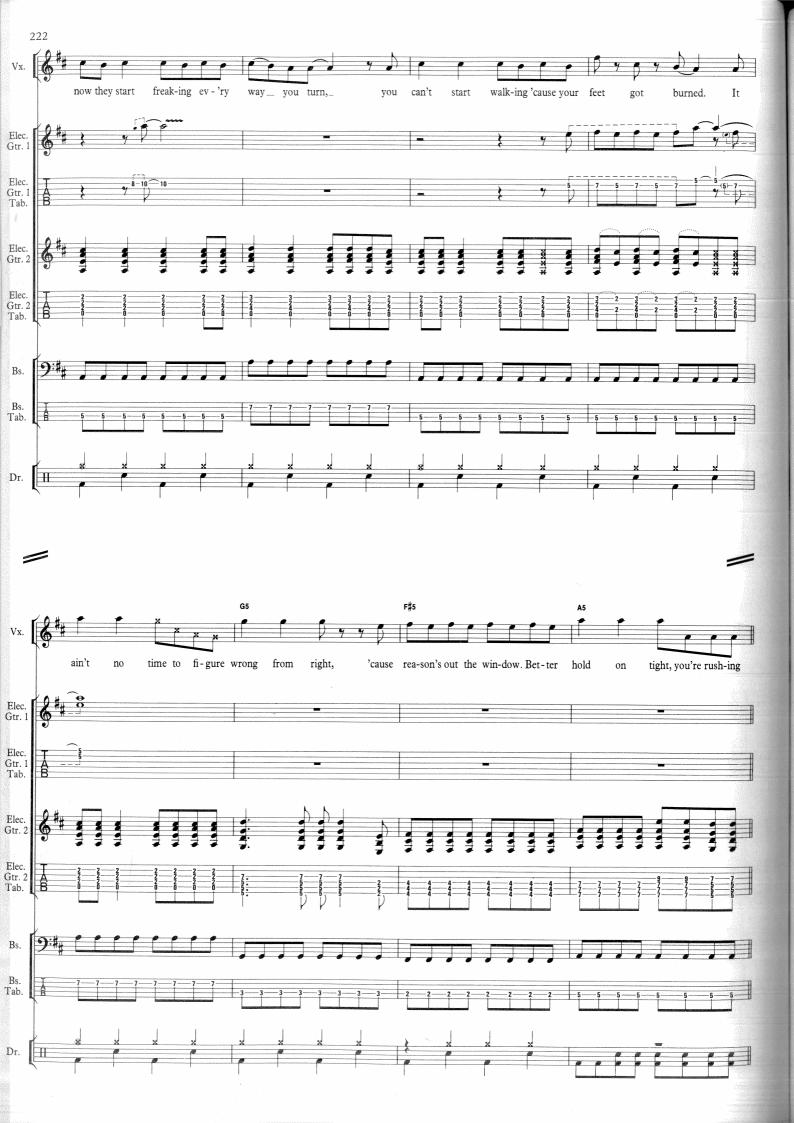


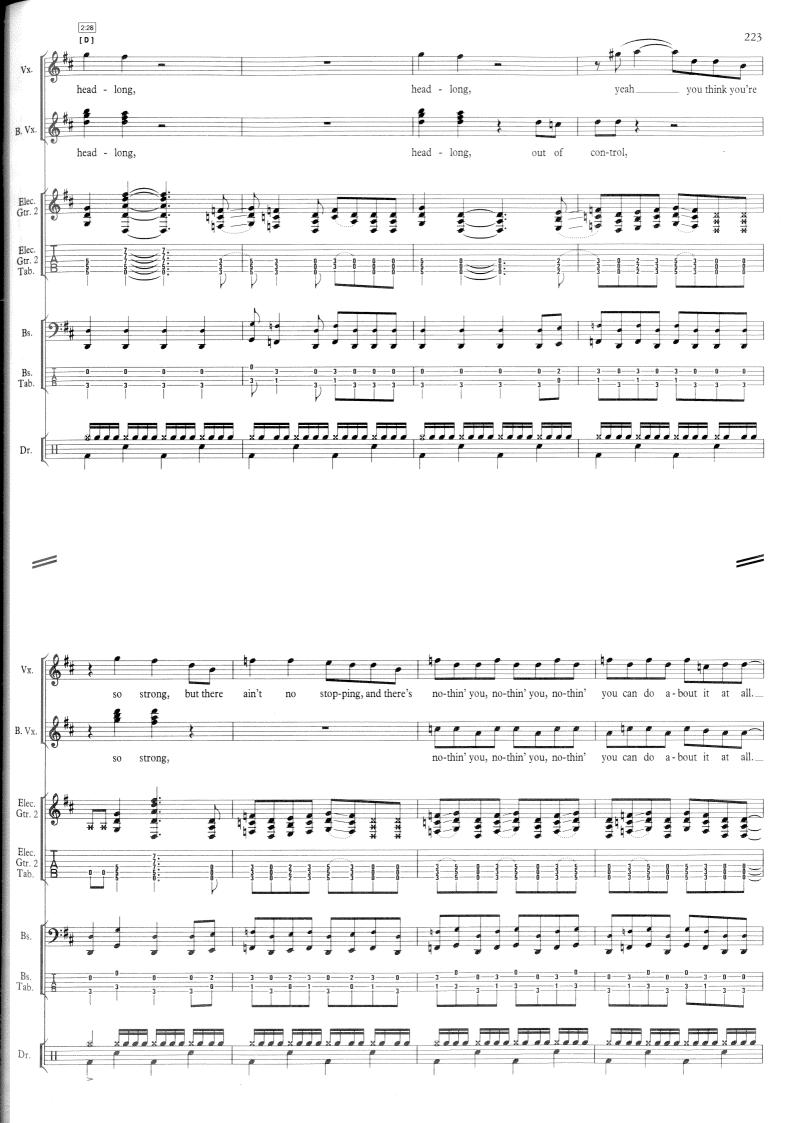


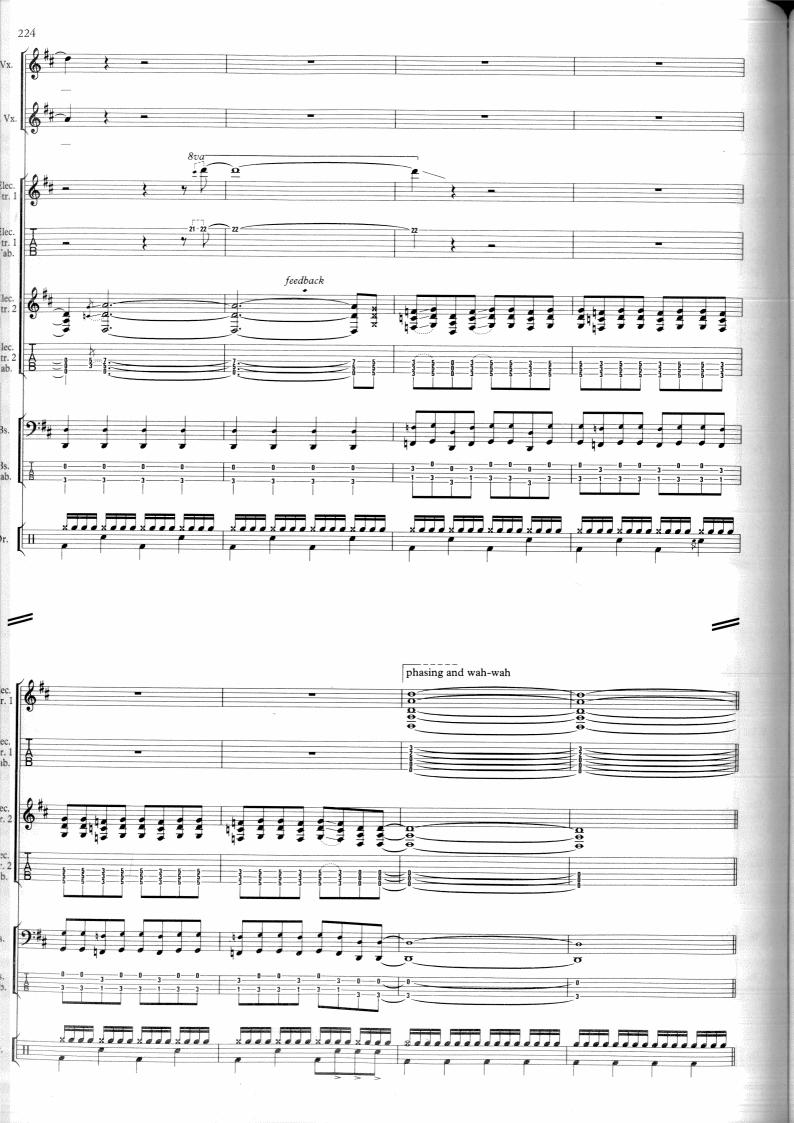


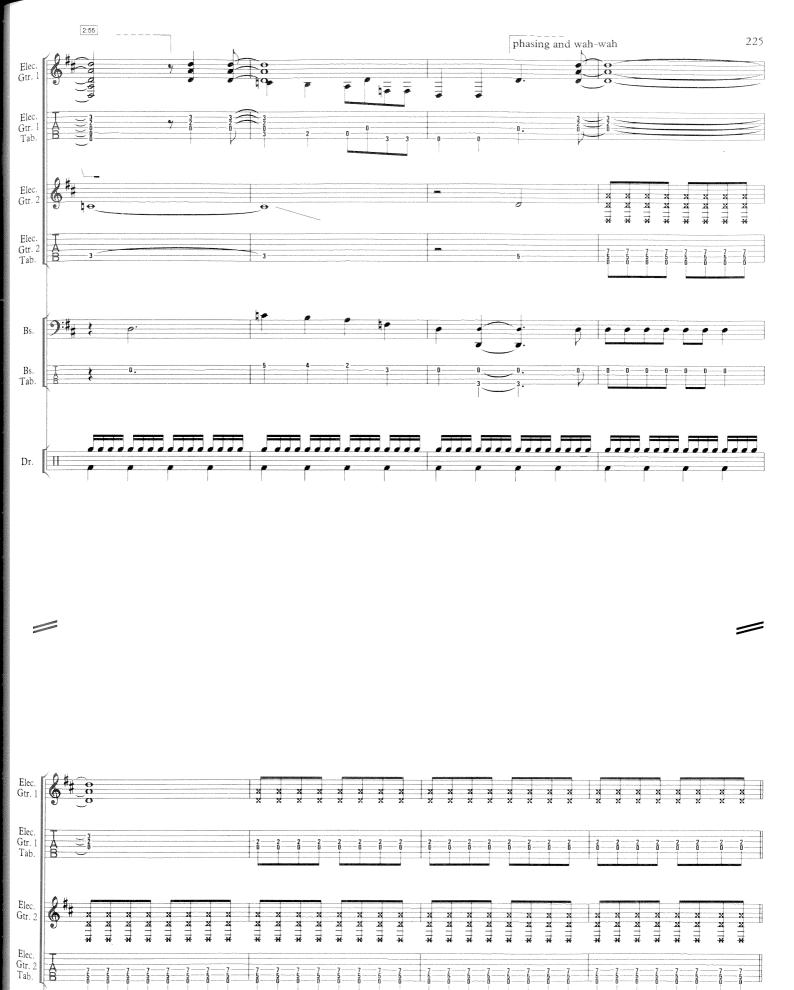








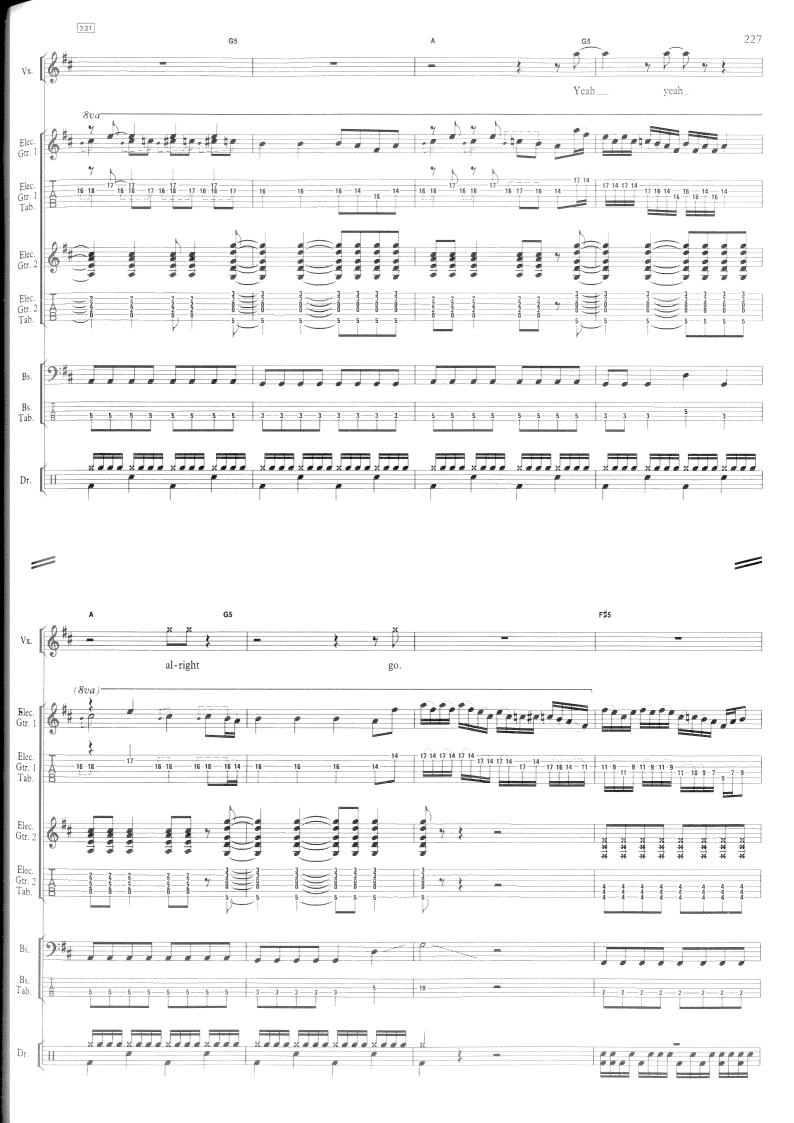


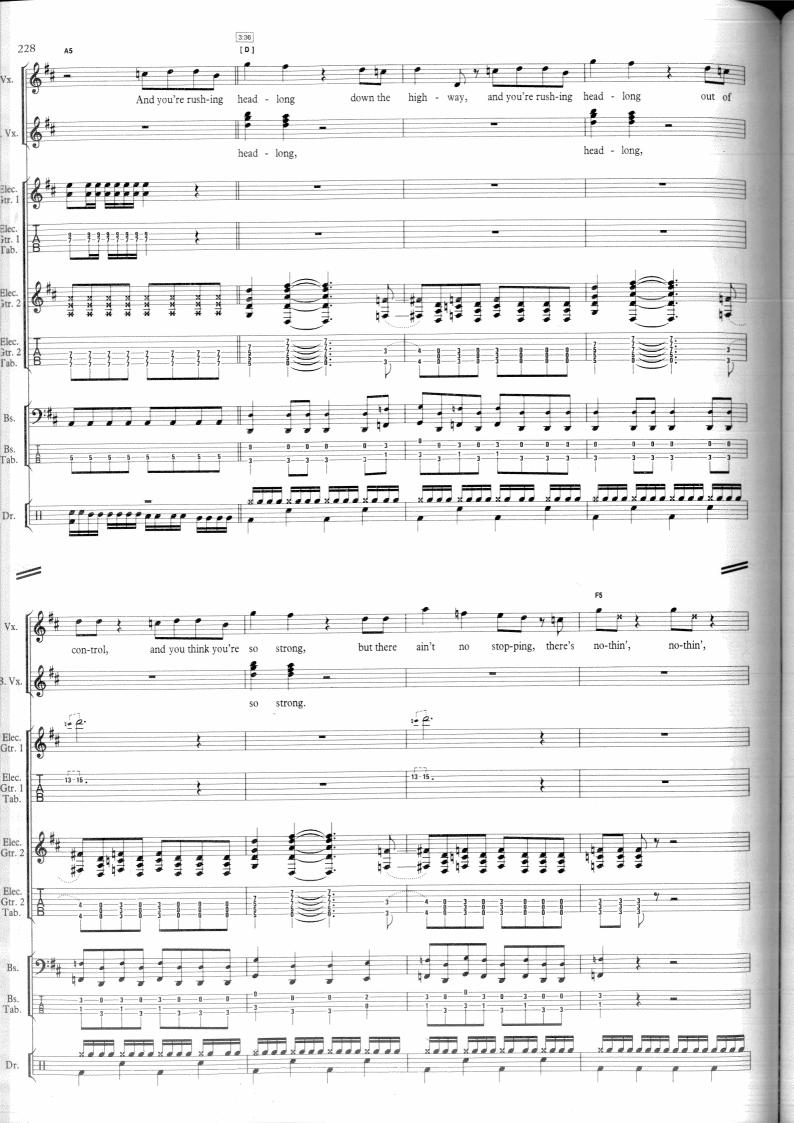


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## The Miracle

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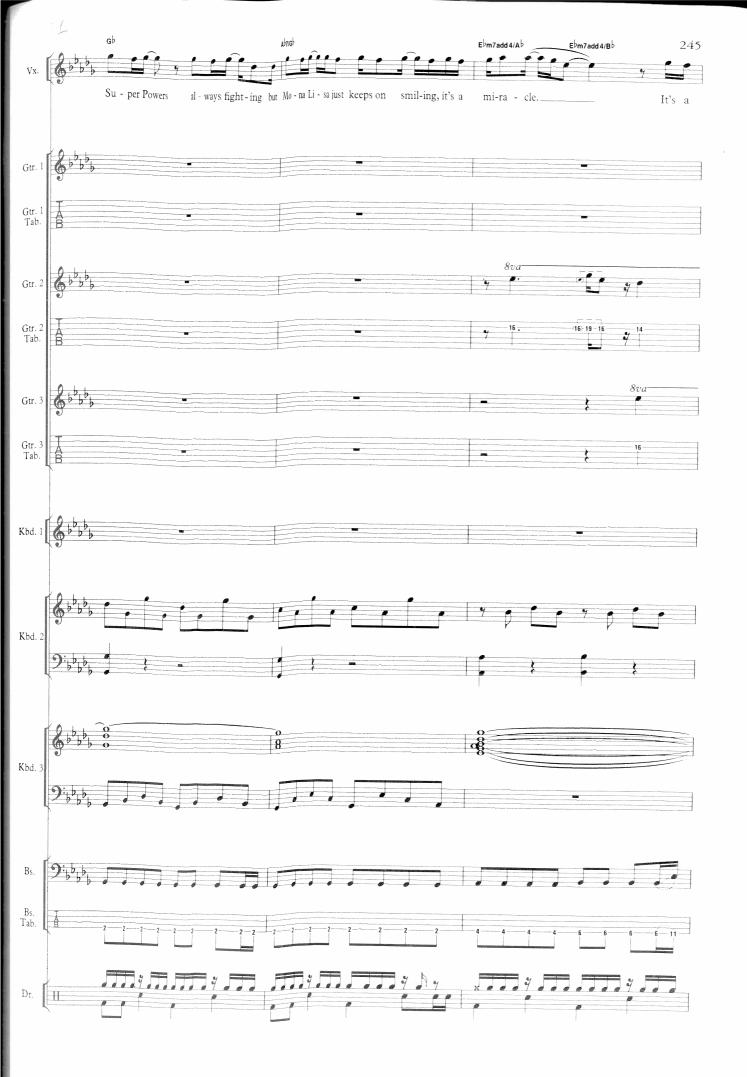


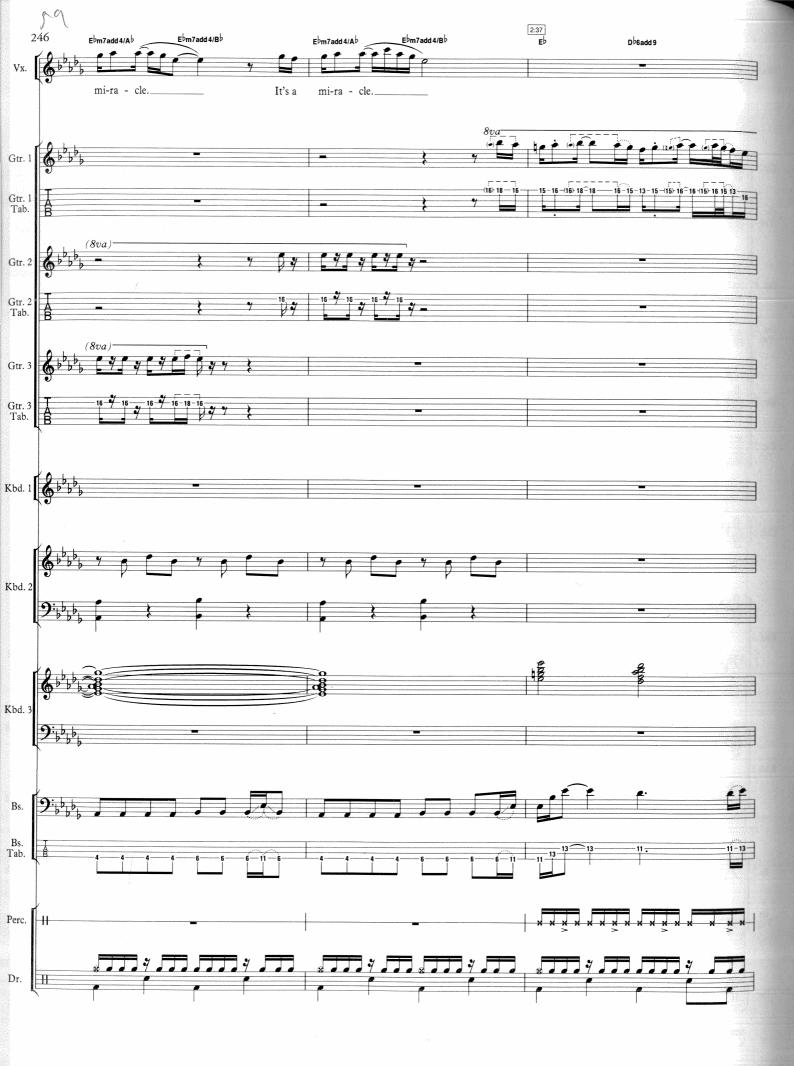


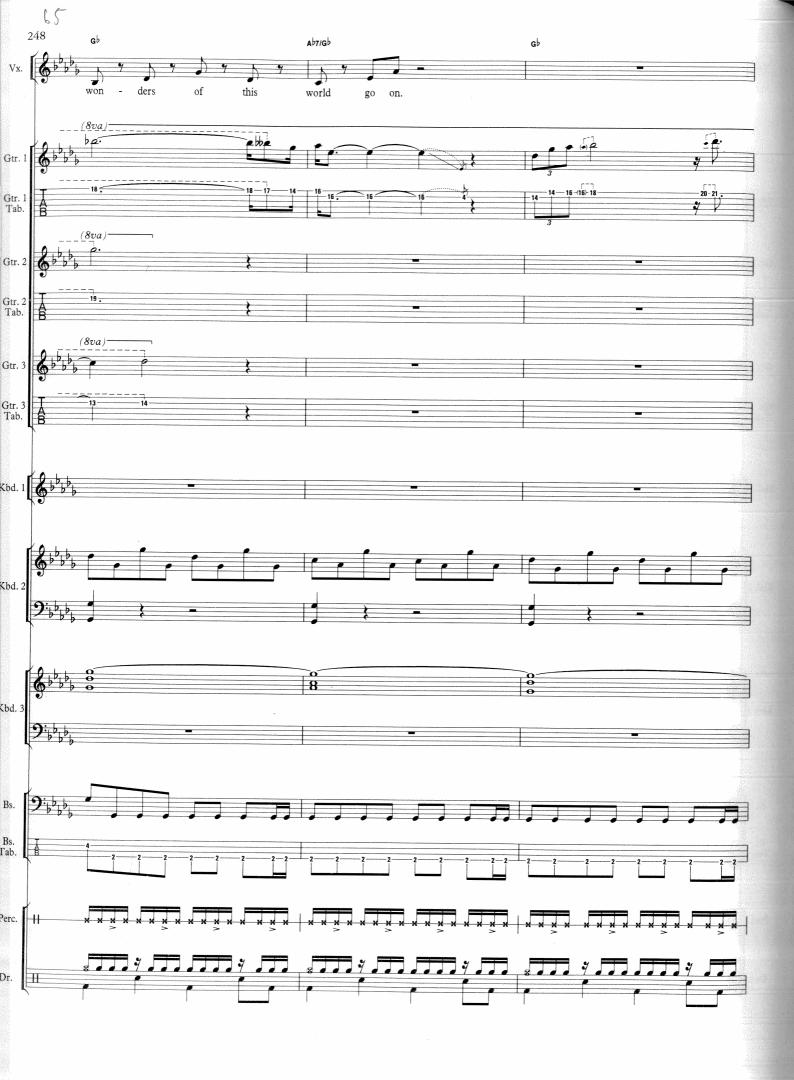








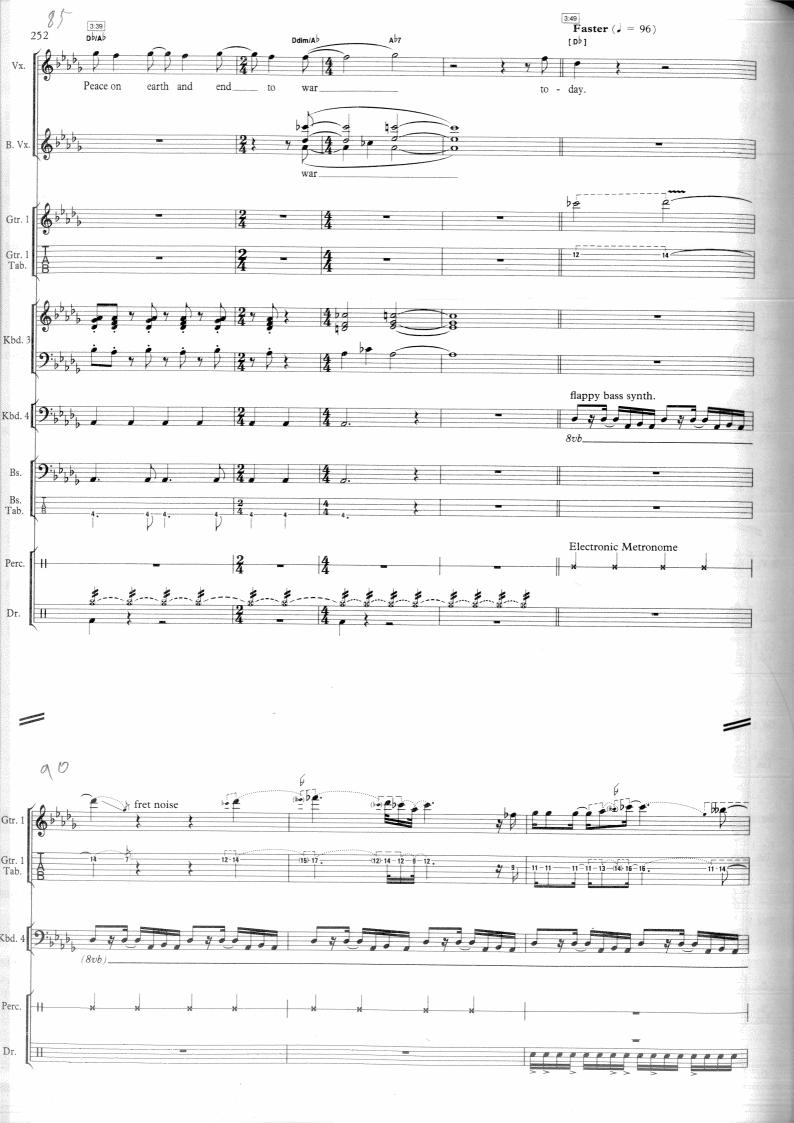












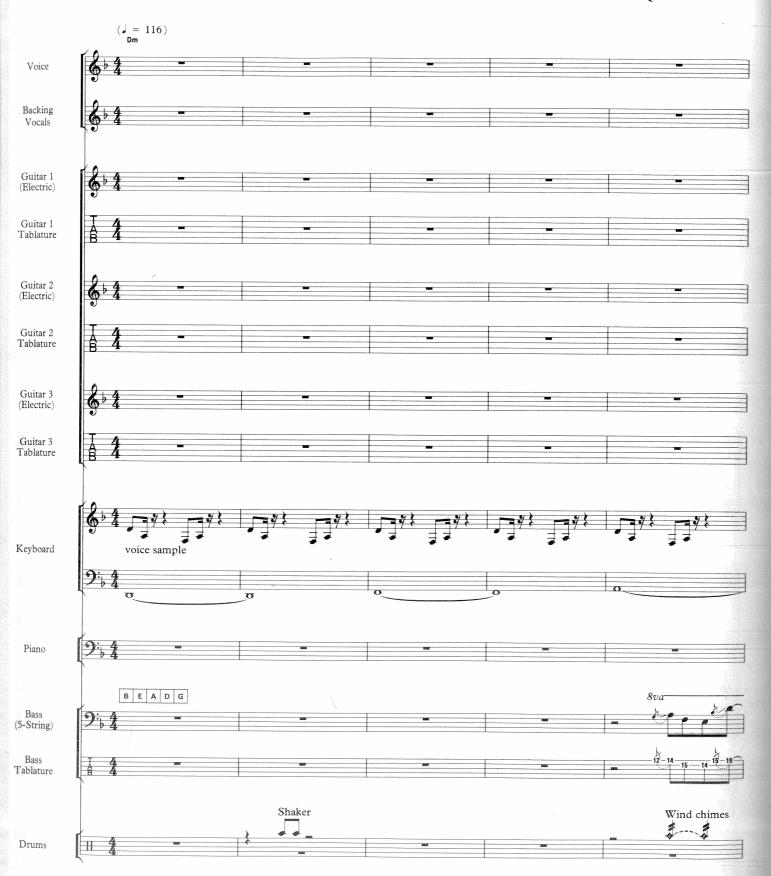






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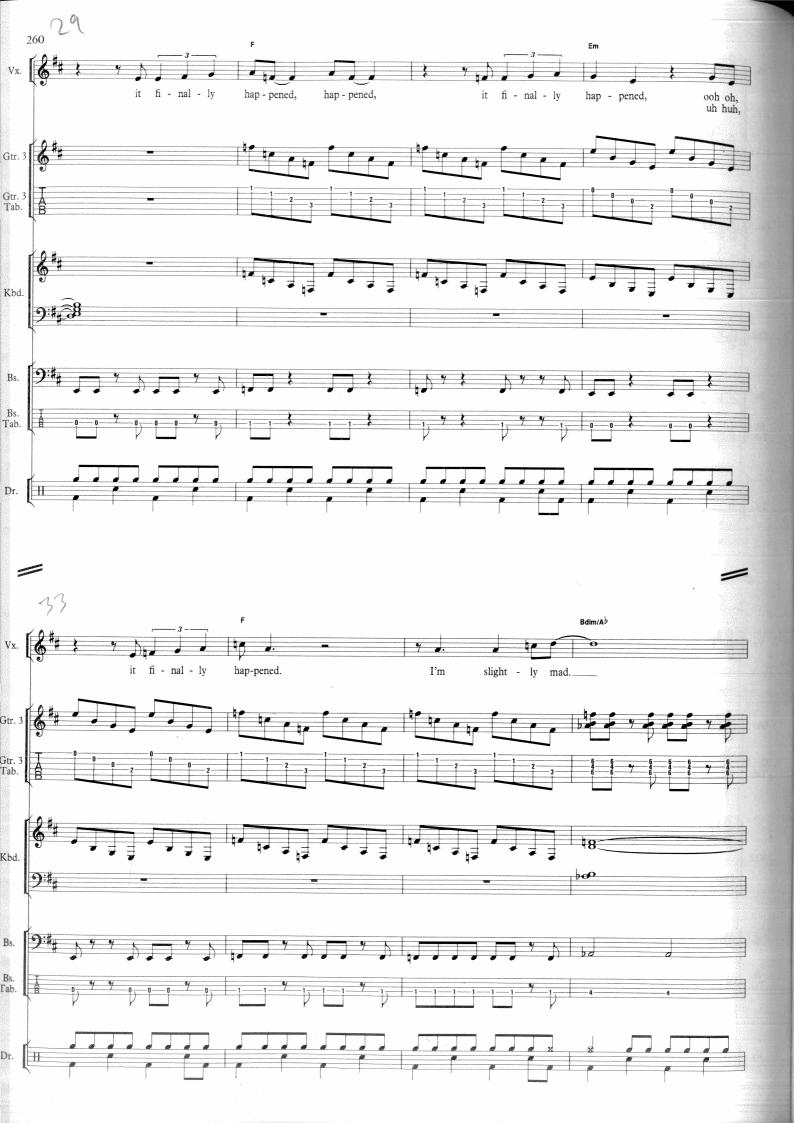
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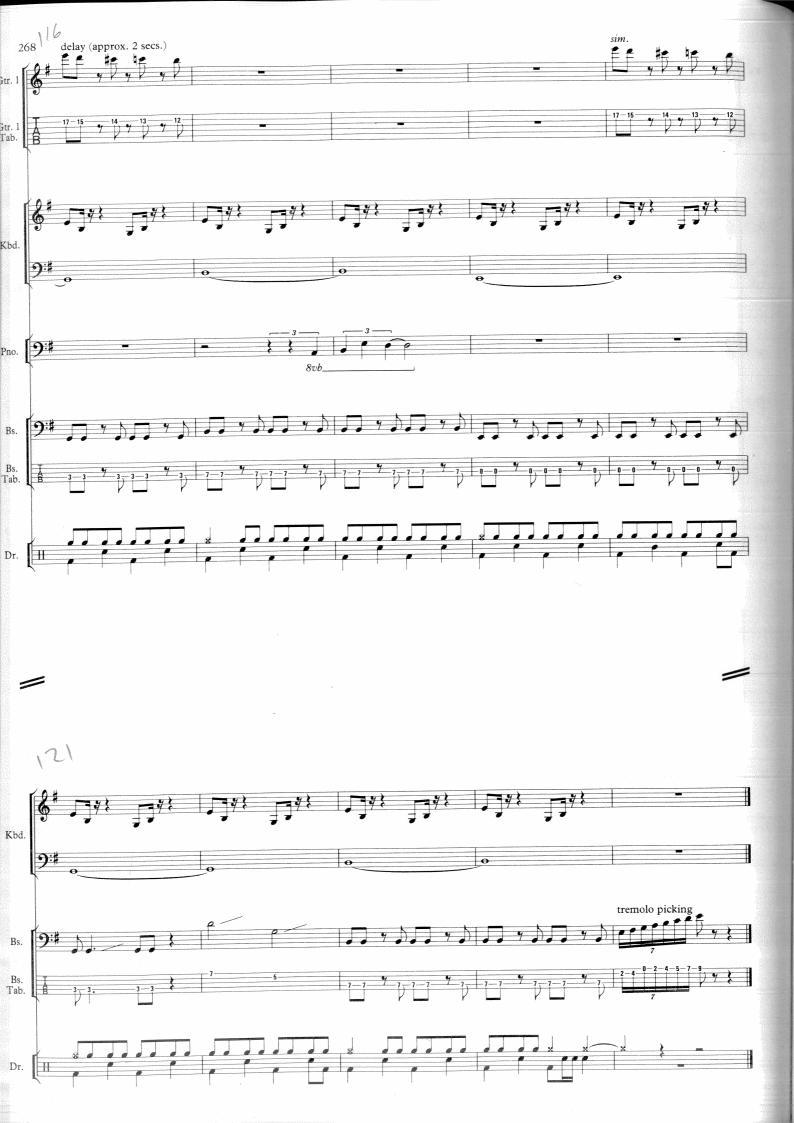








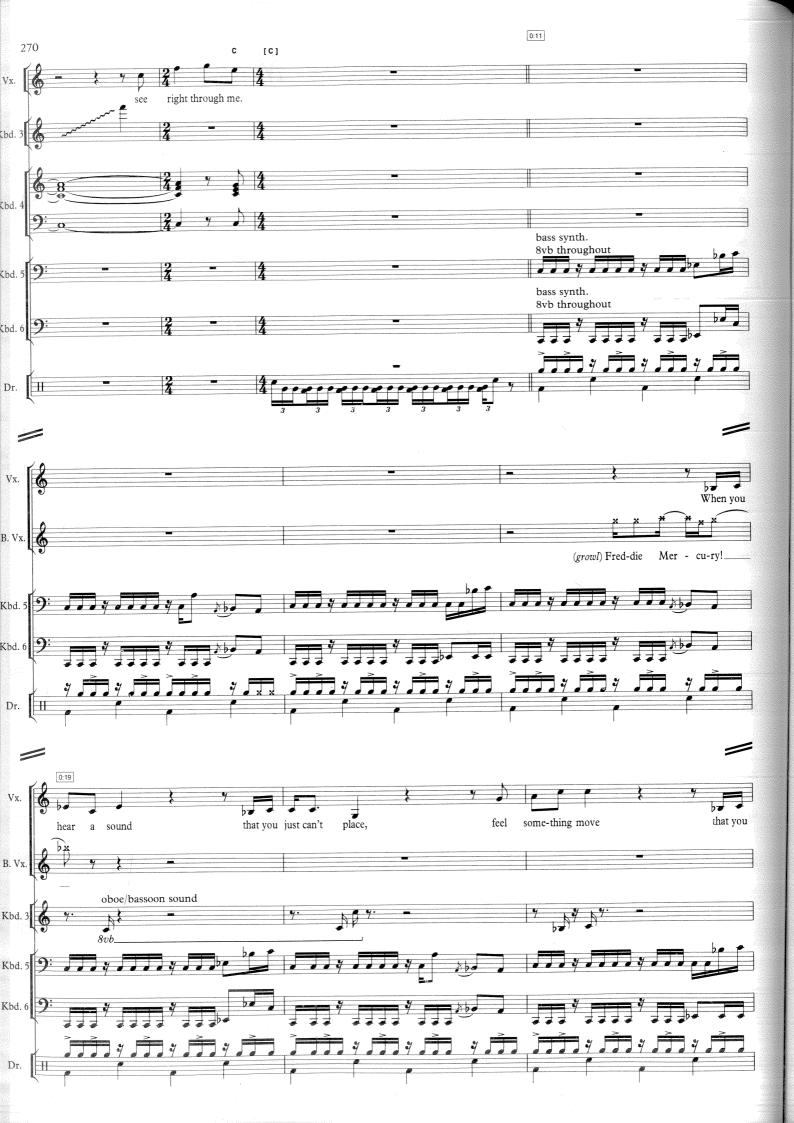


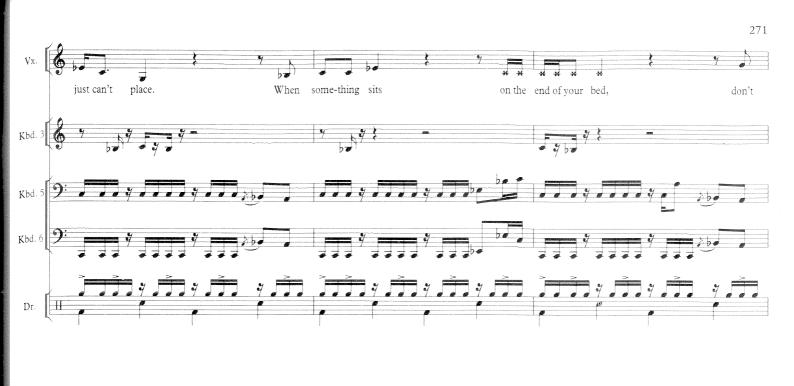


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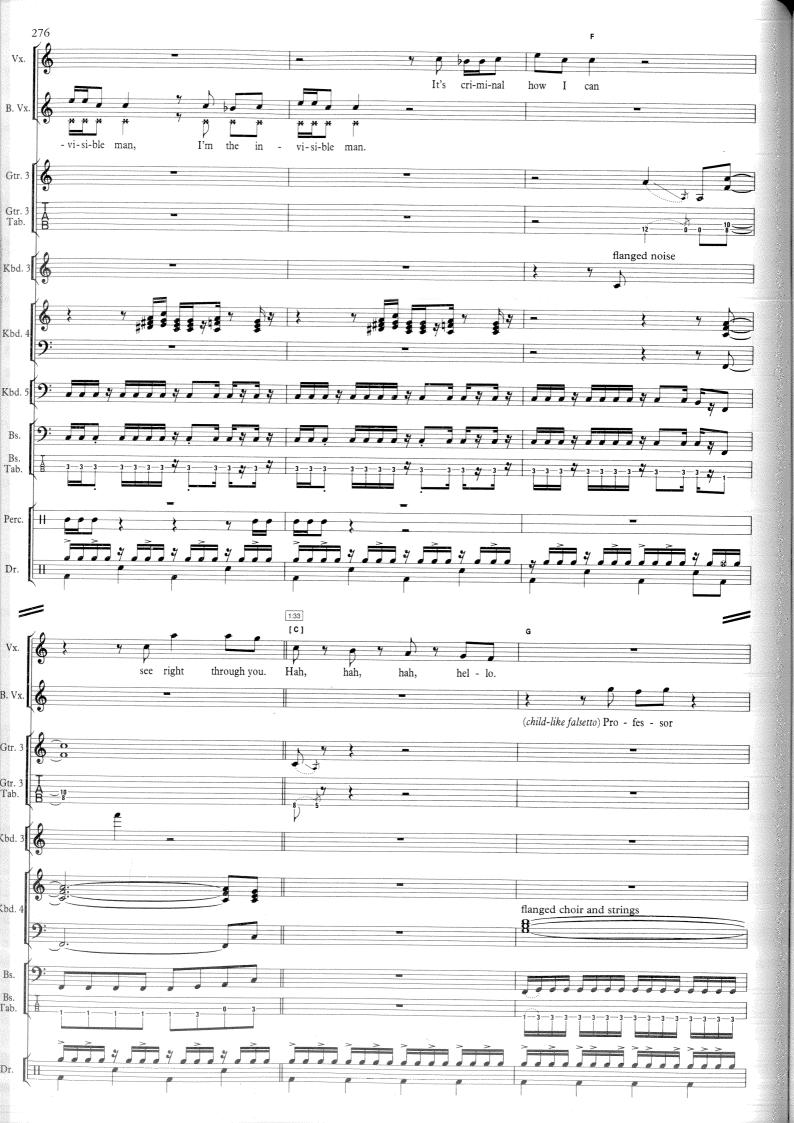


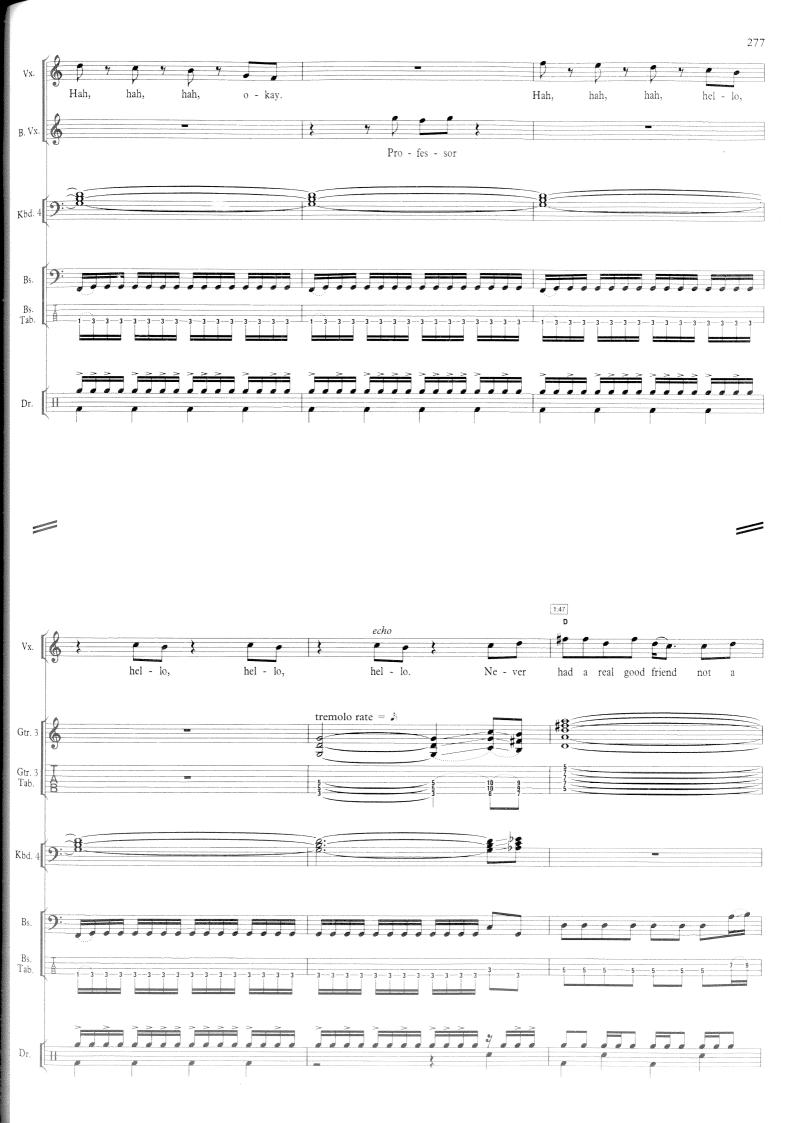






















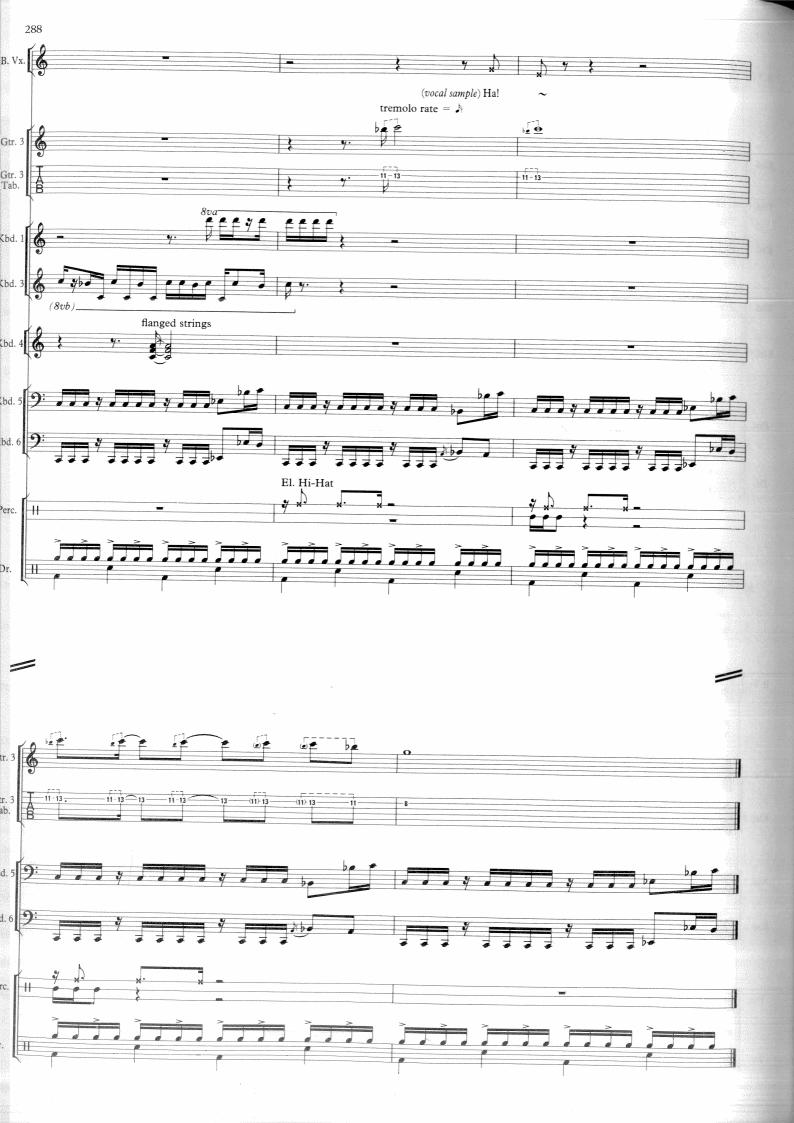












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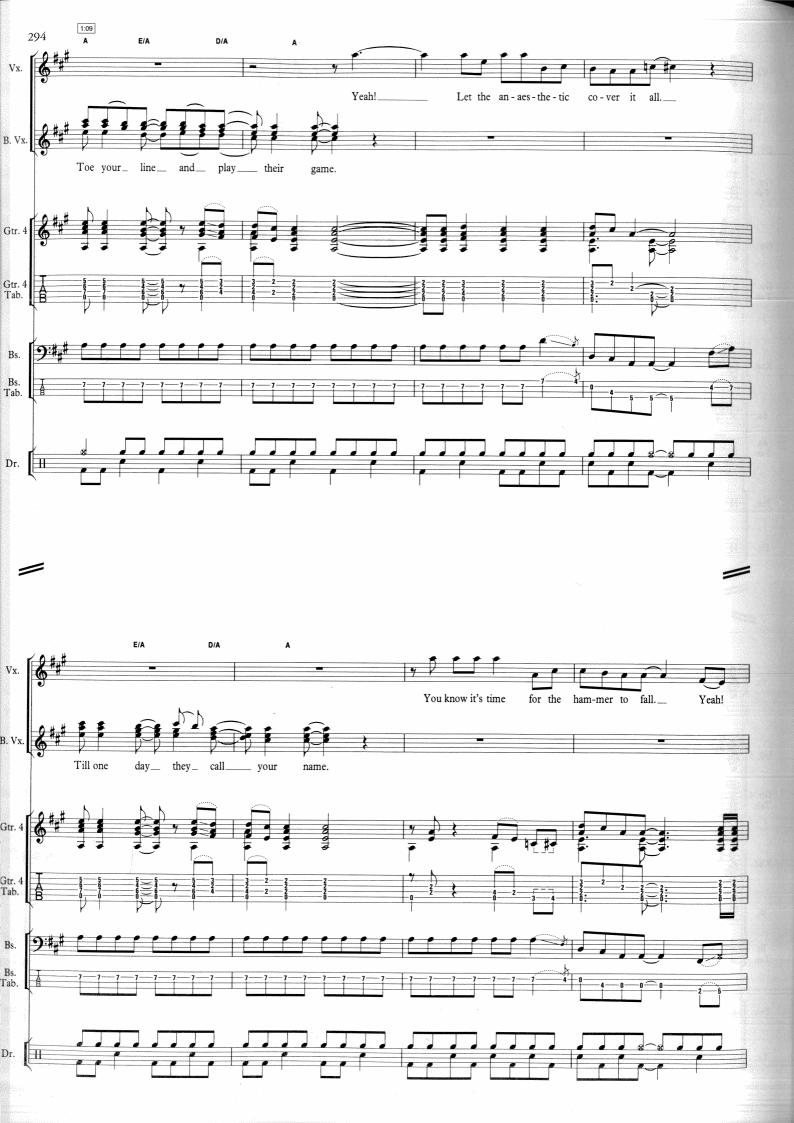
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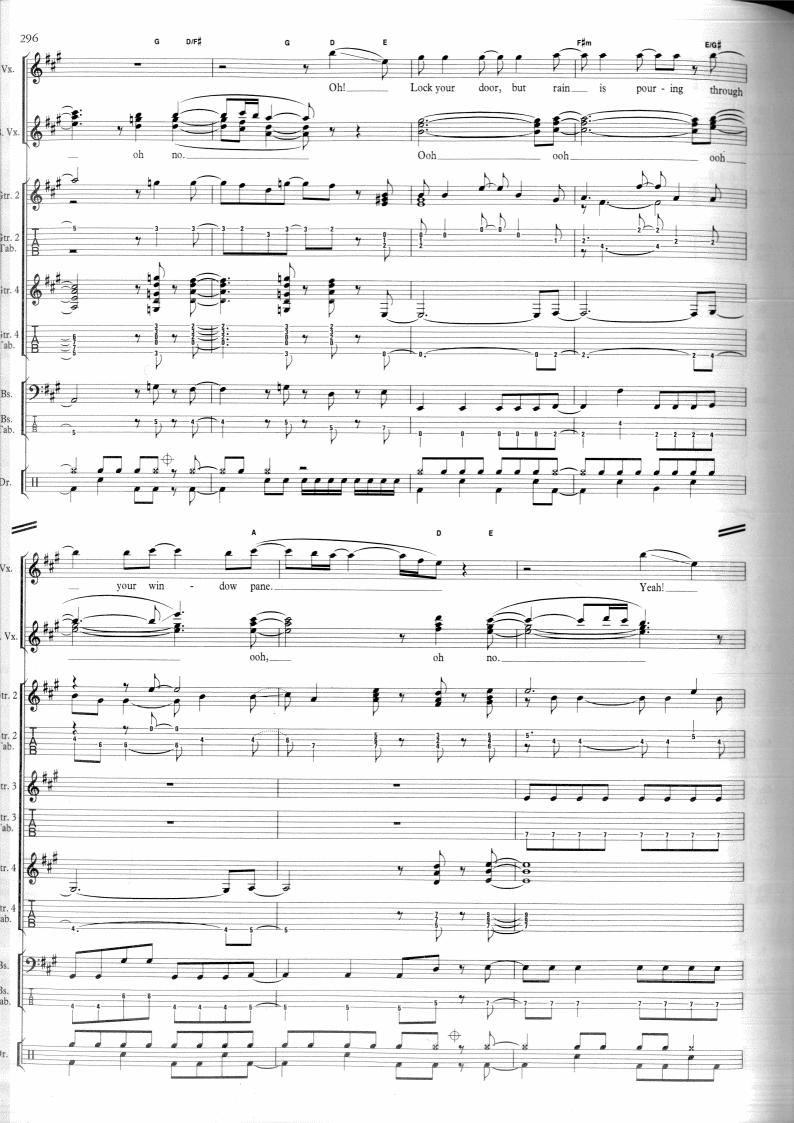






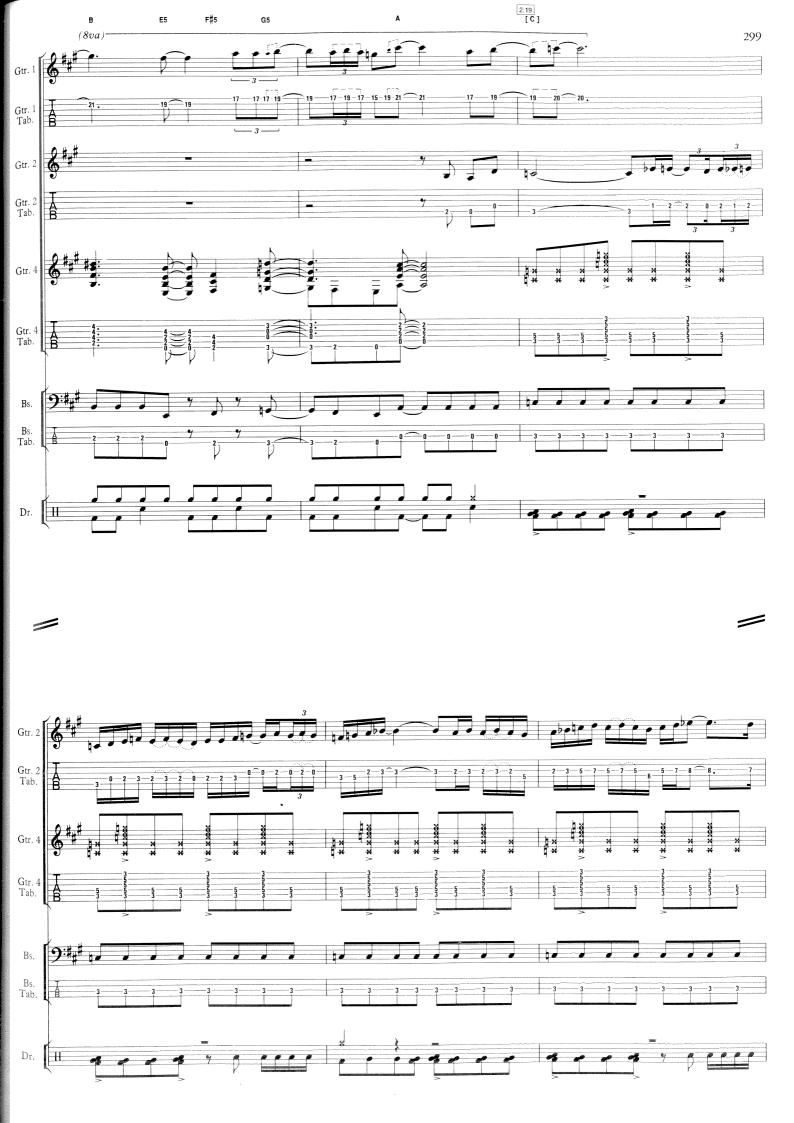


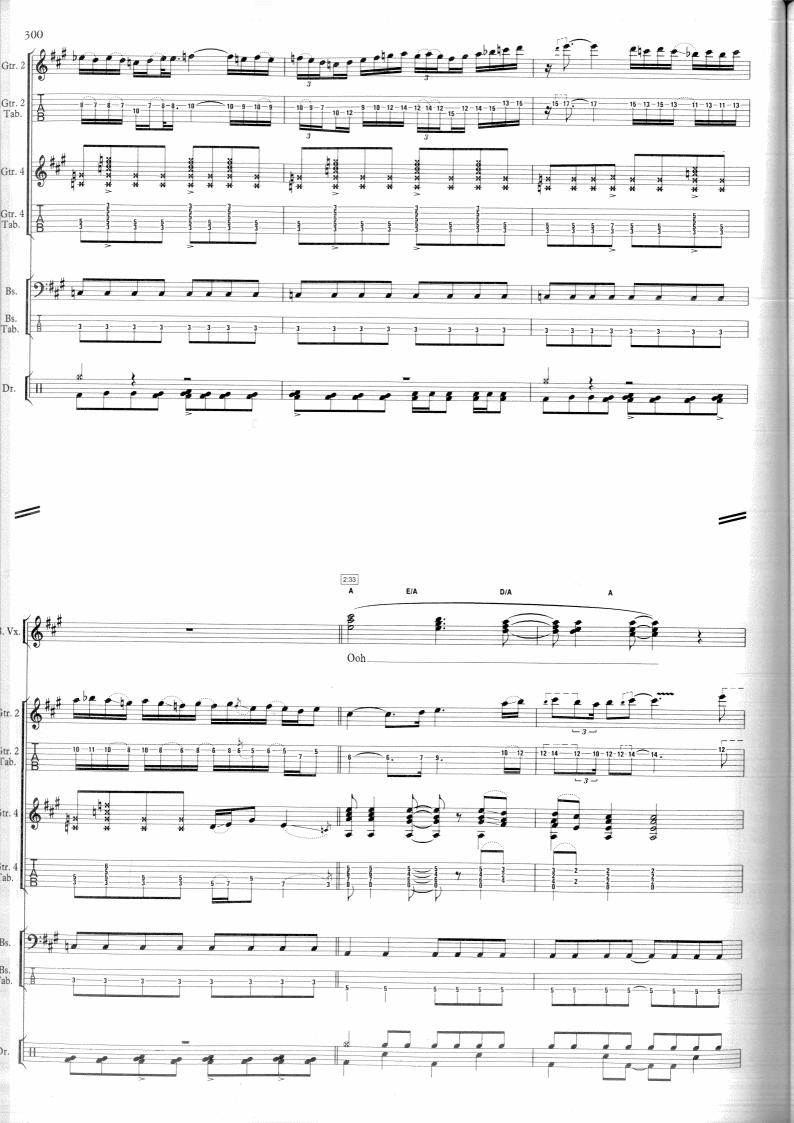


















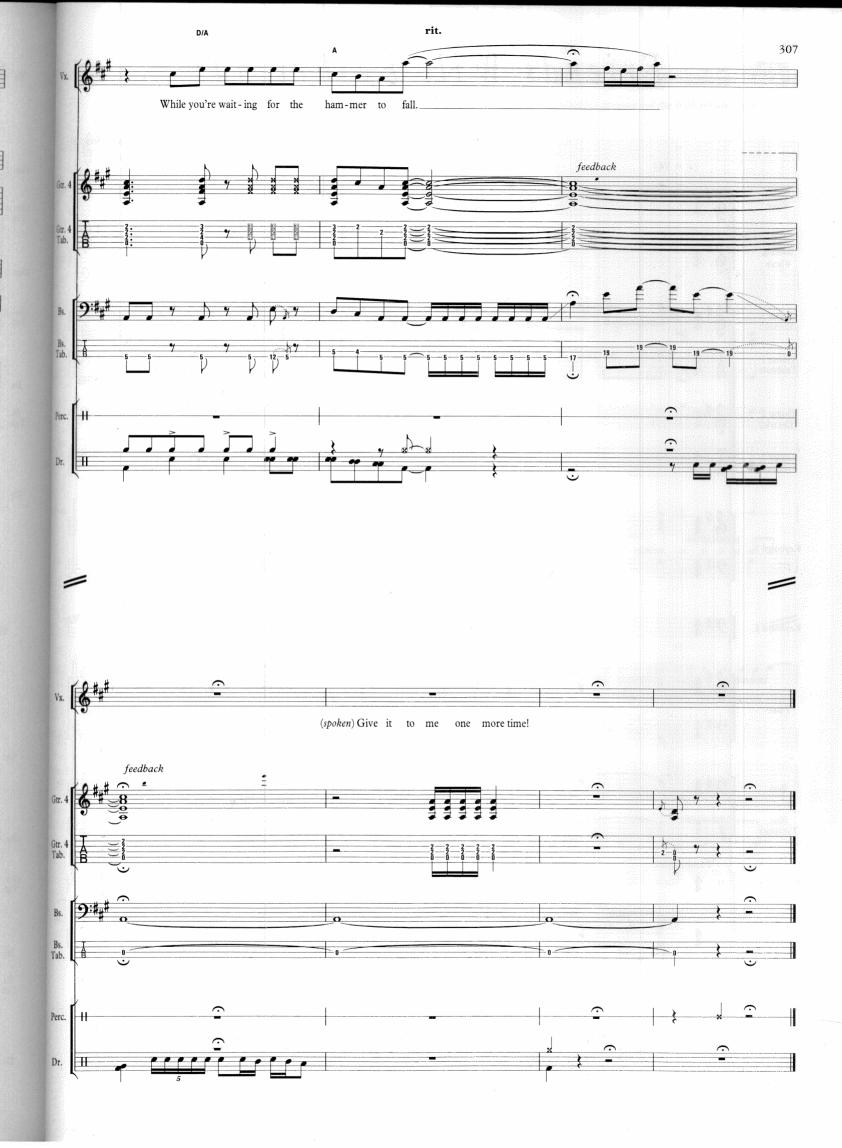










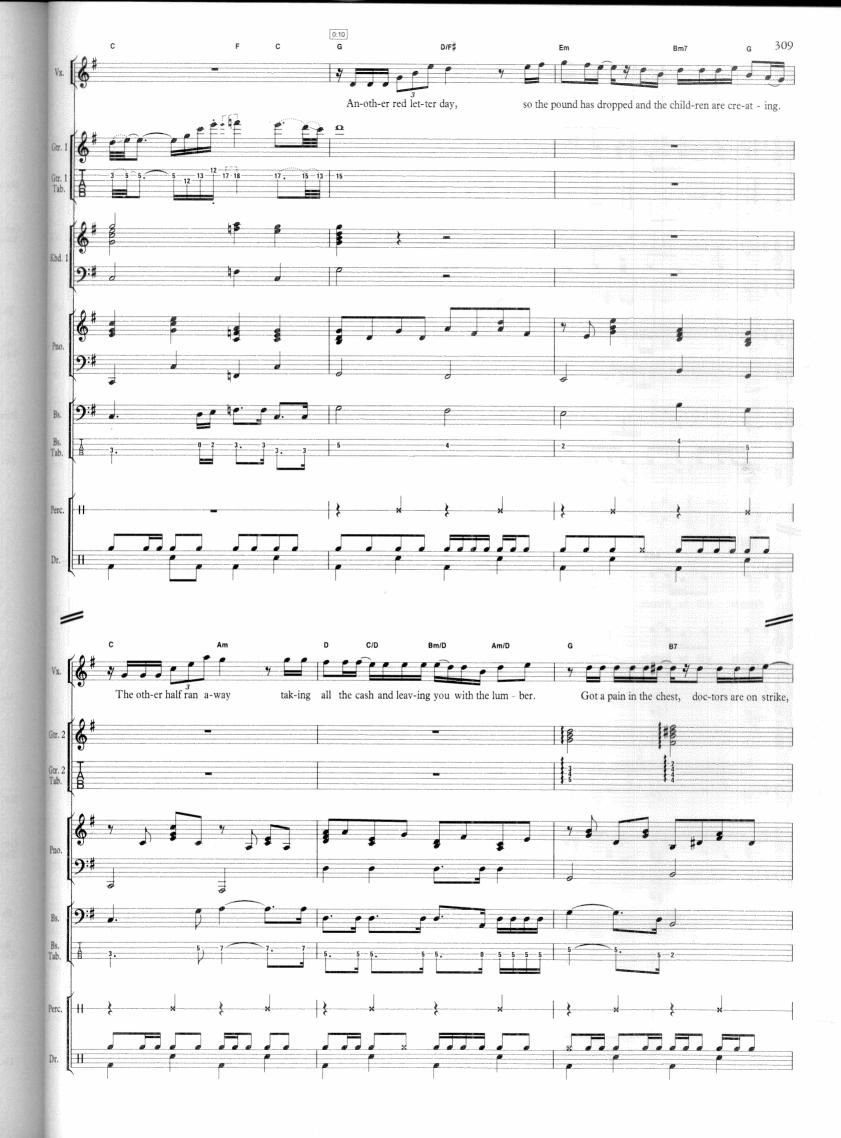


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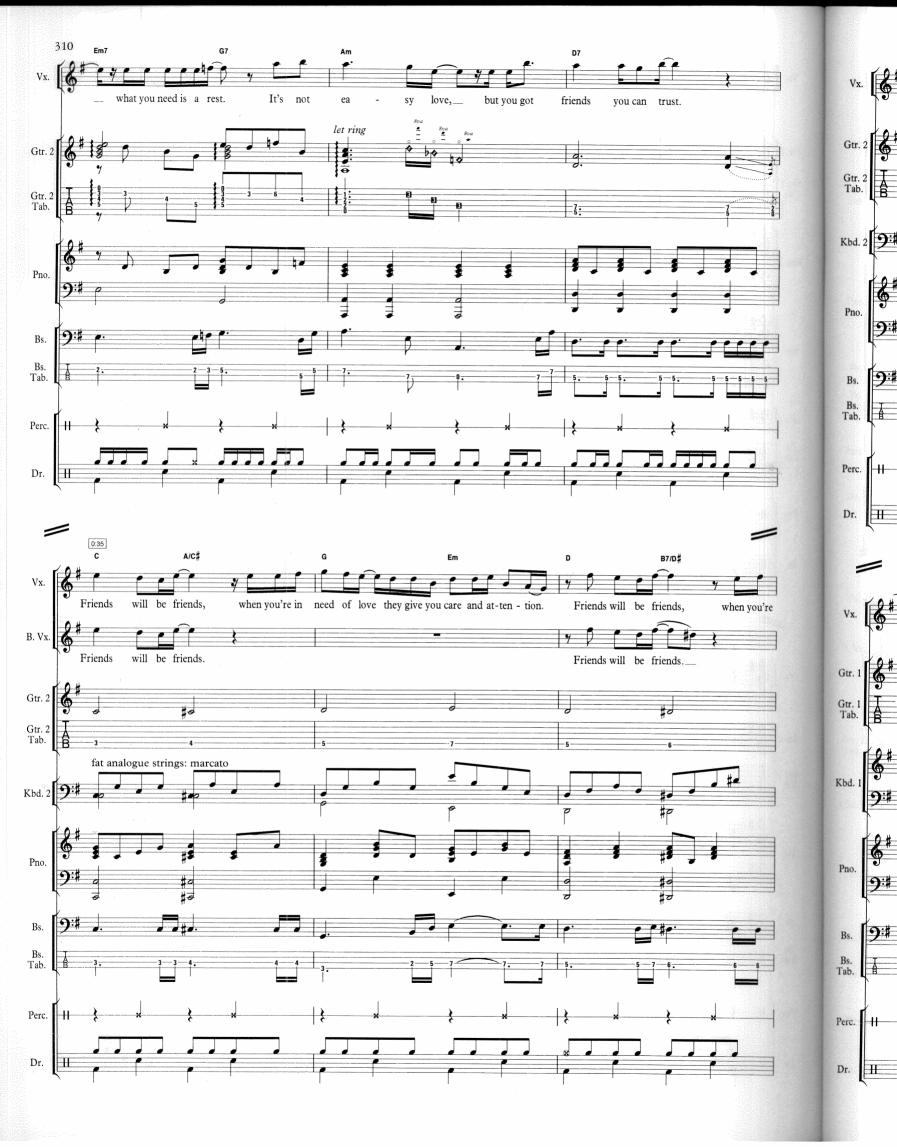
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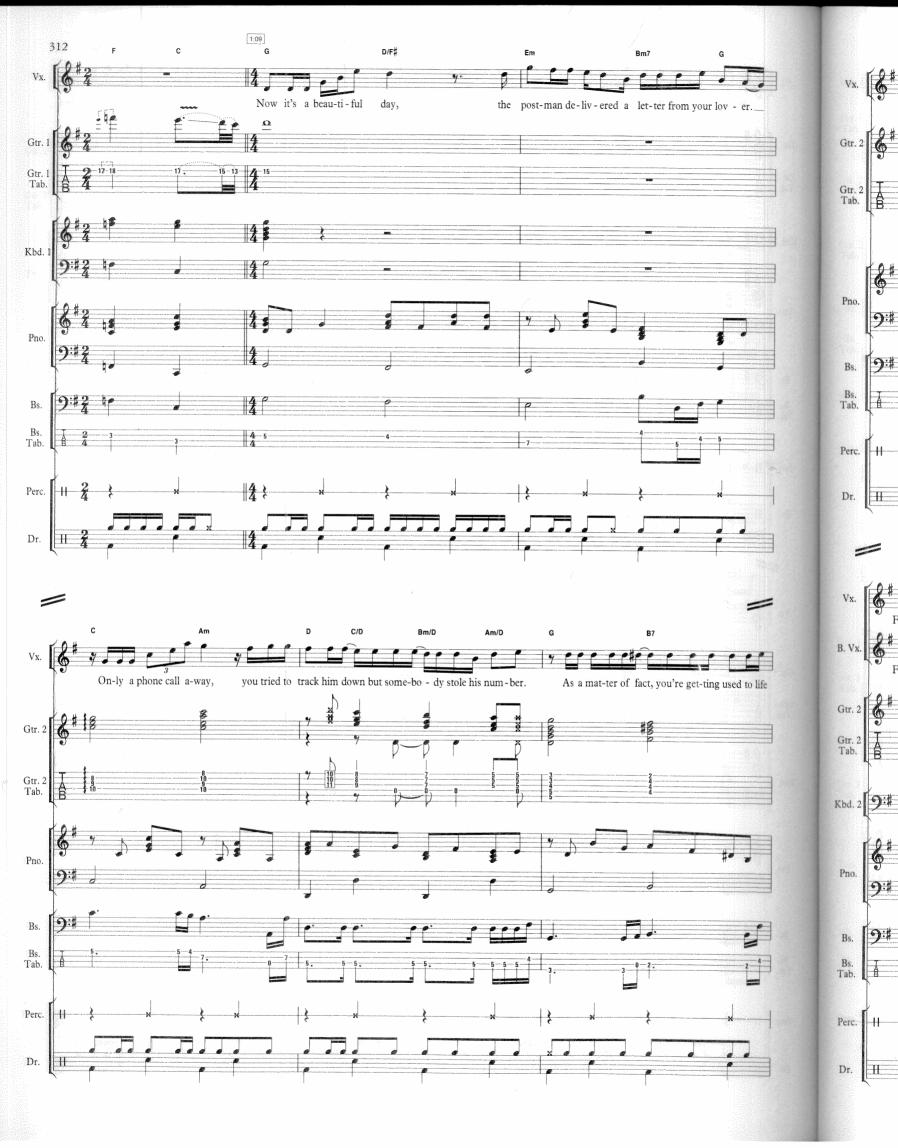
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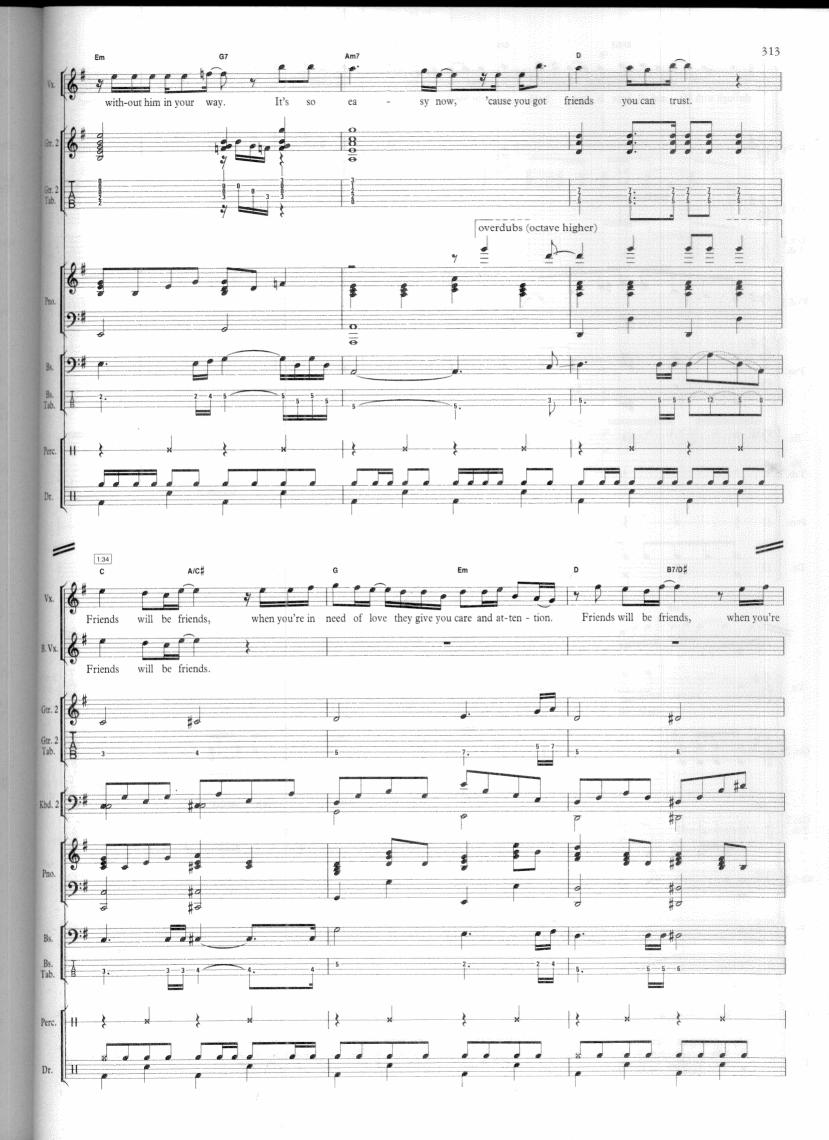


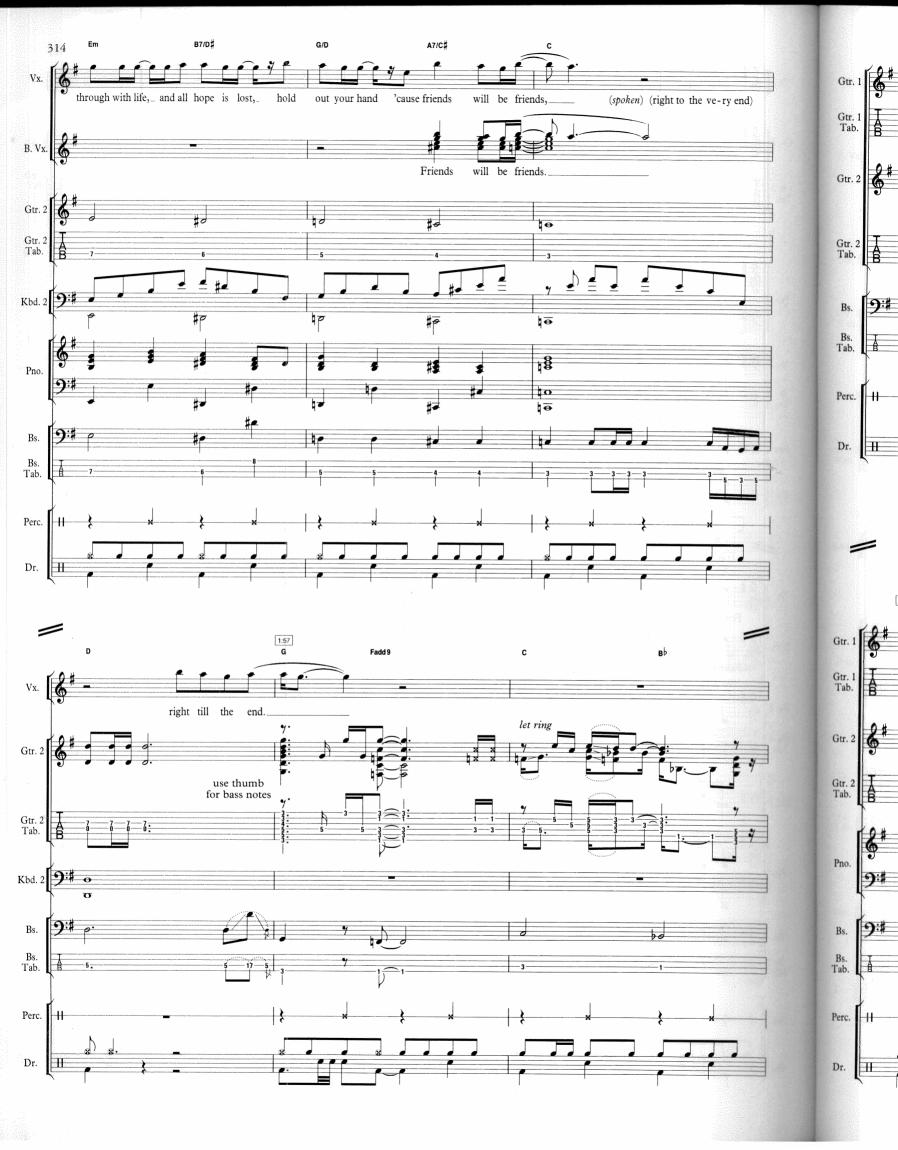
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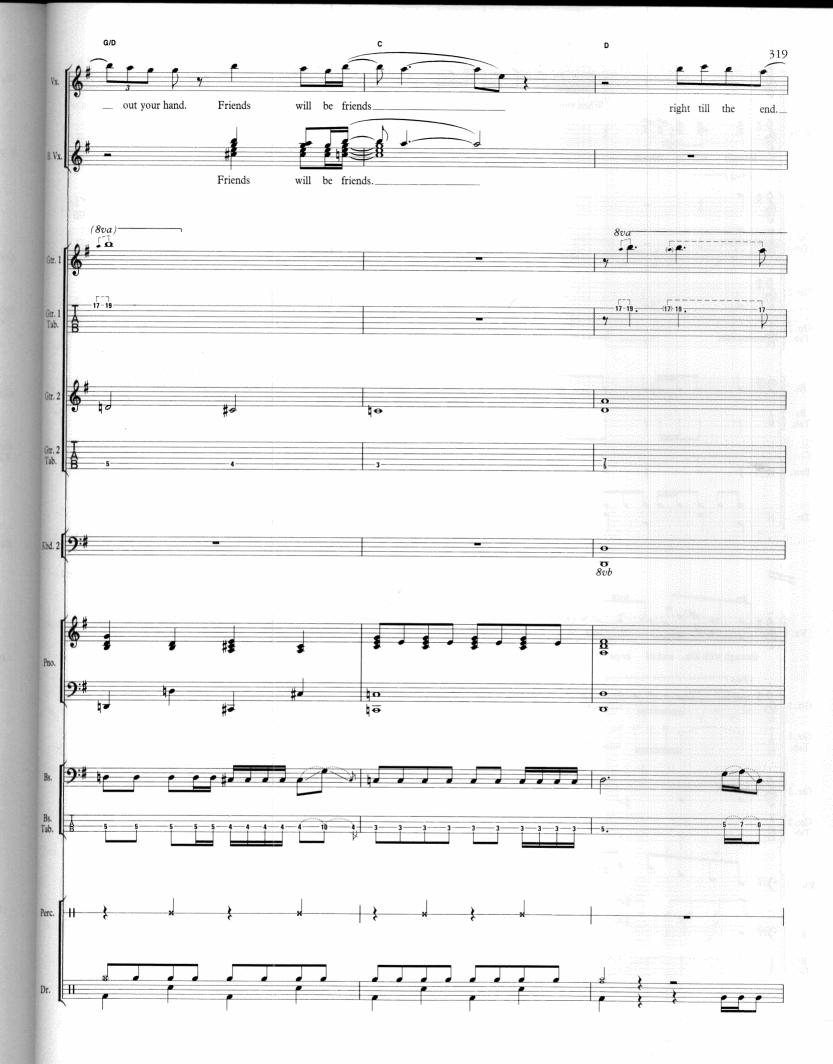
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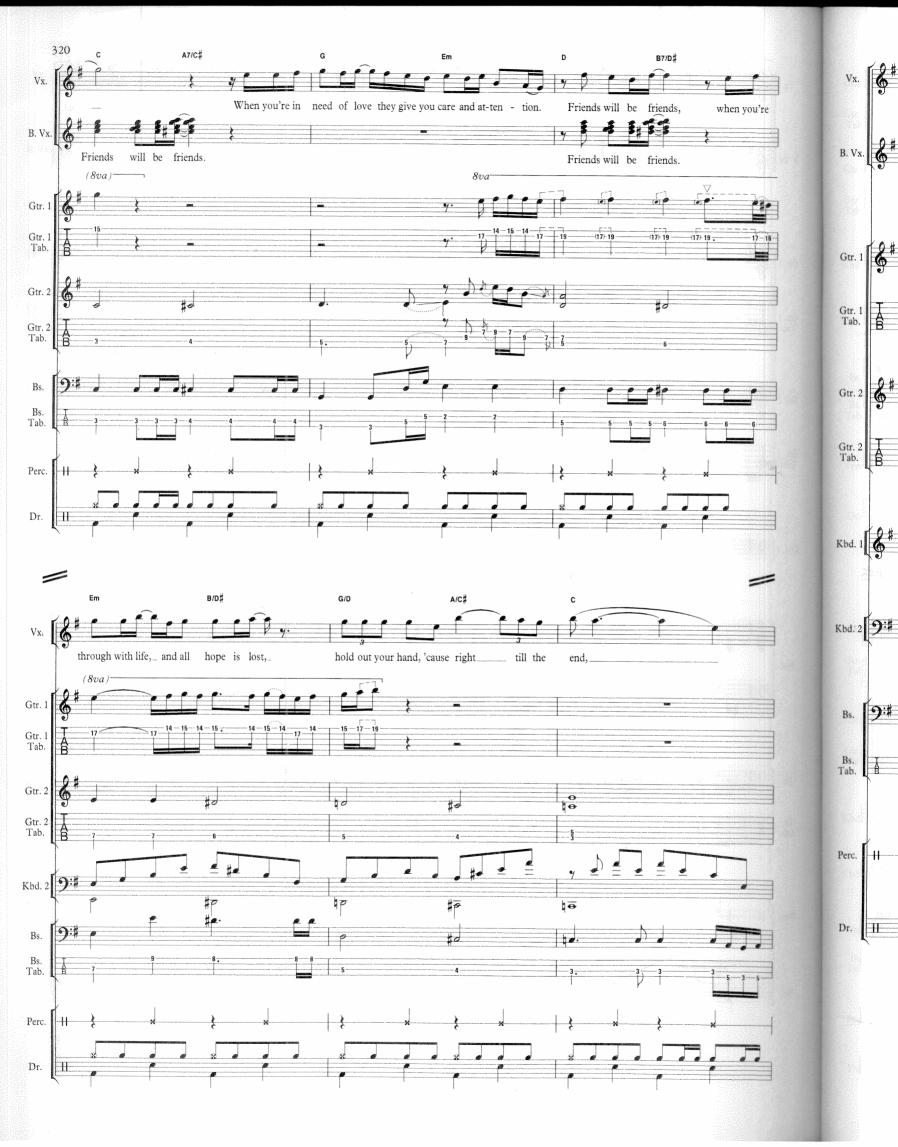
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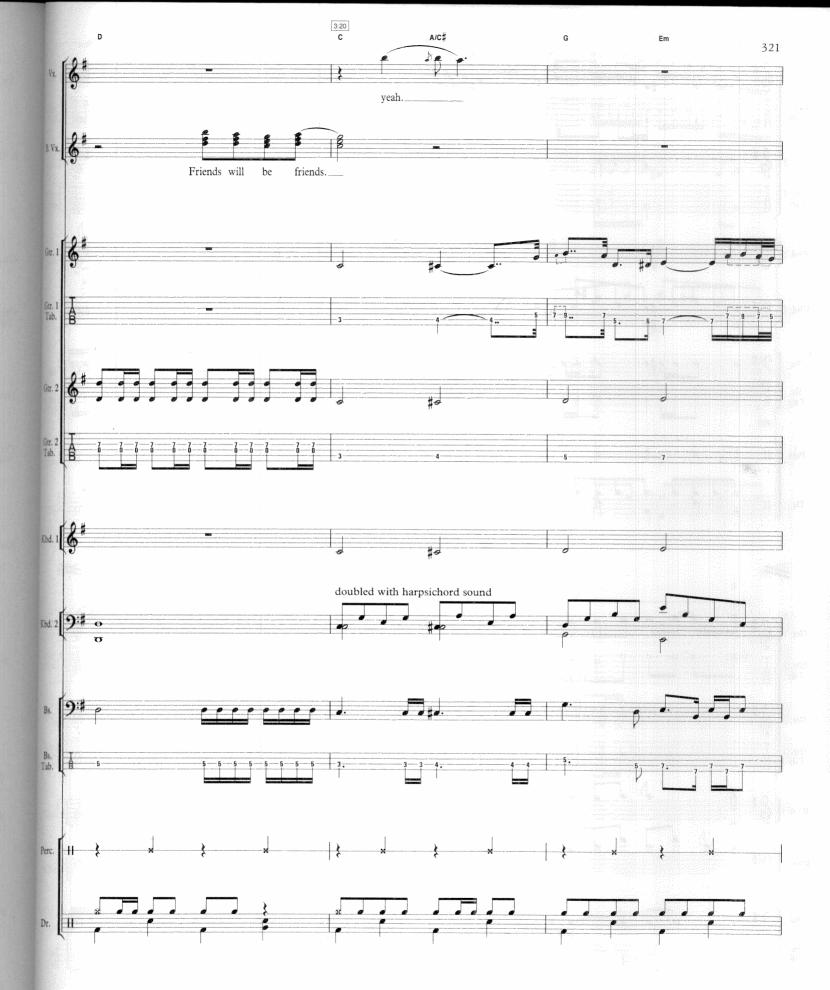


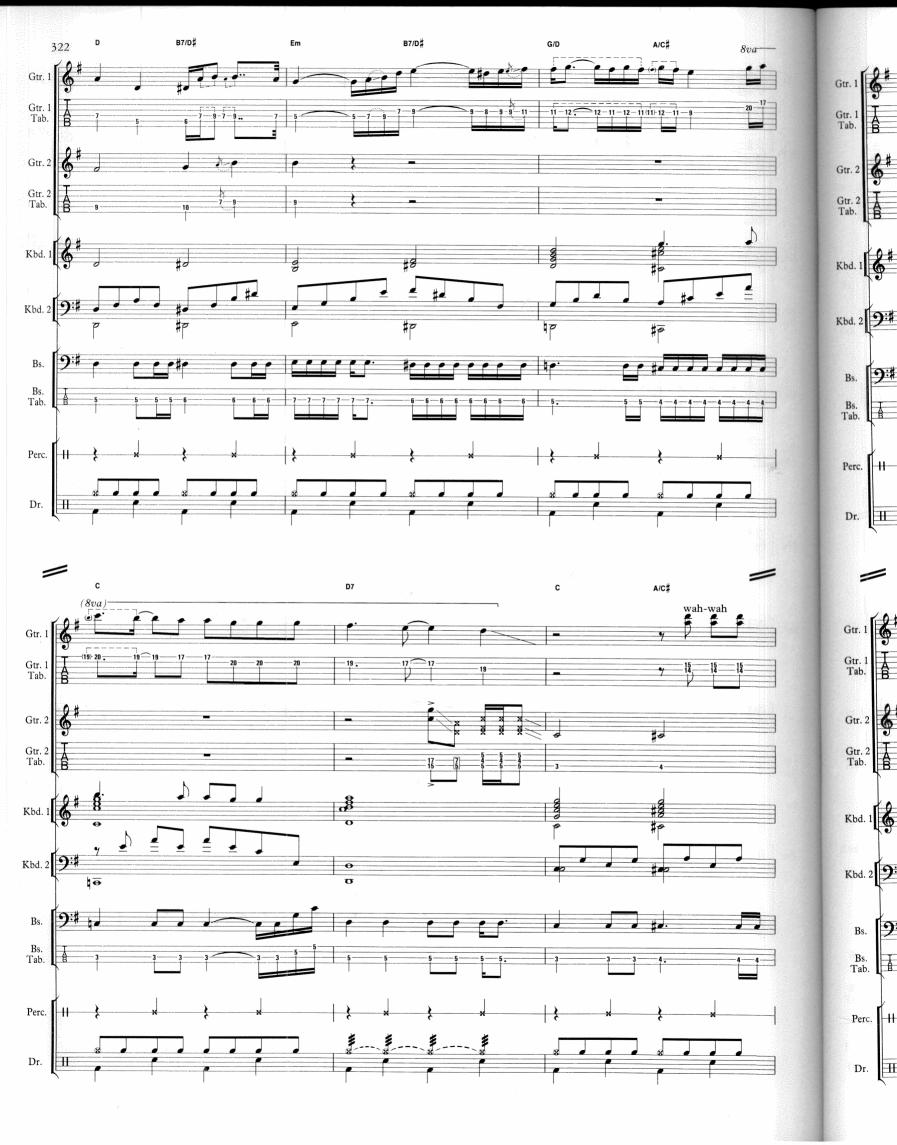












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## The Show Must Go On

Words & Music by Queen

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Bs.

Gtr. 1

Gtr. 1 Tab.

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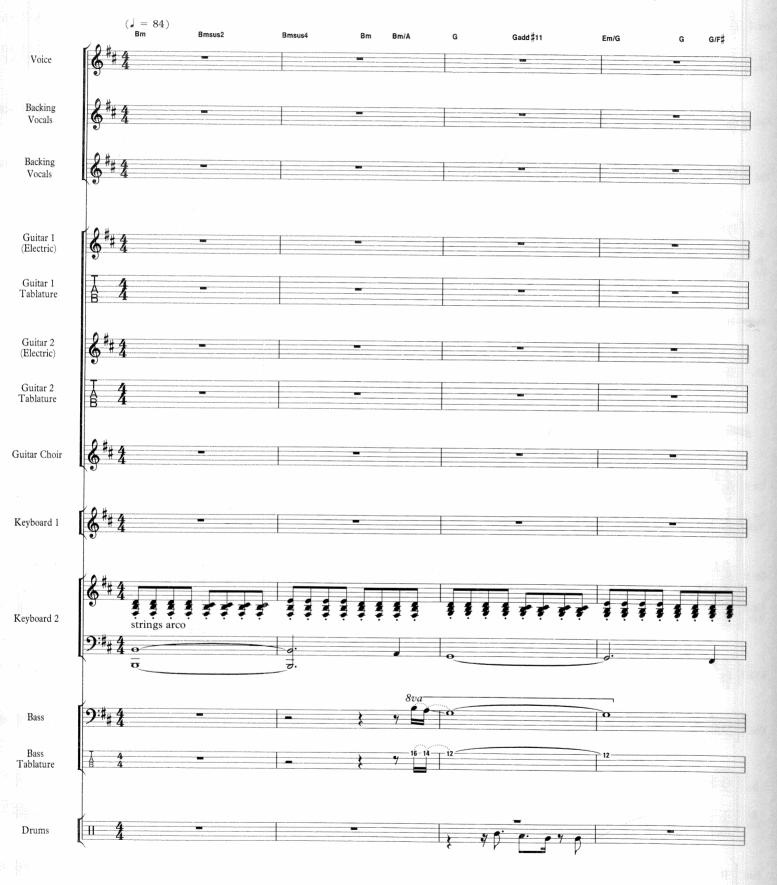
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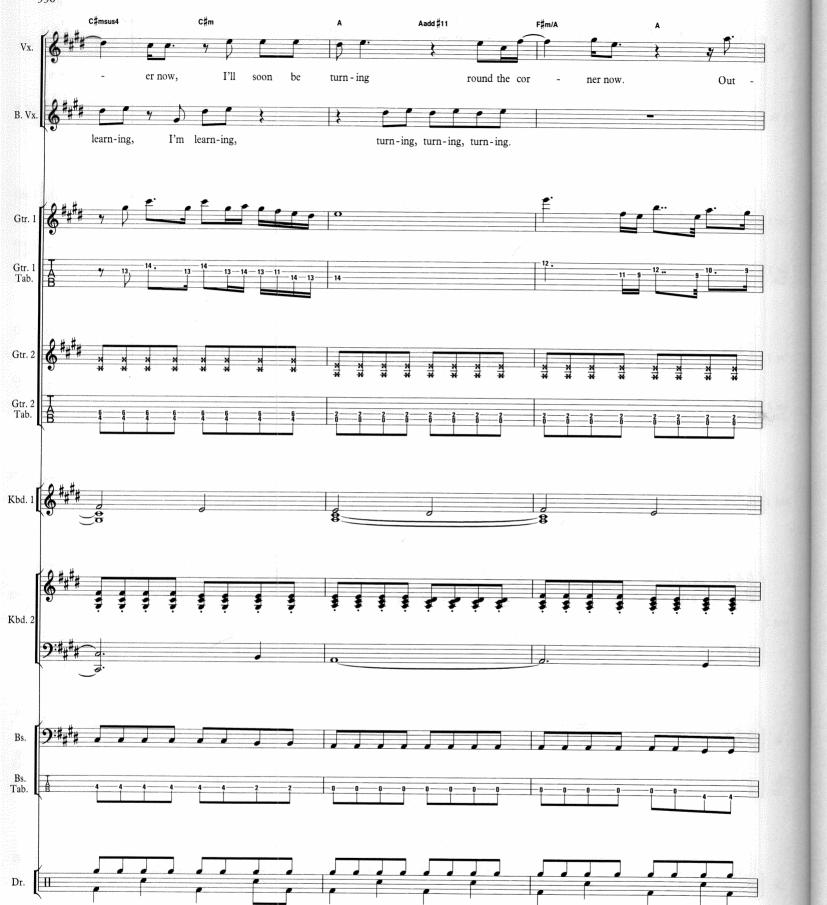
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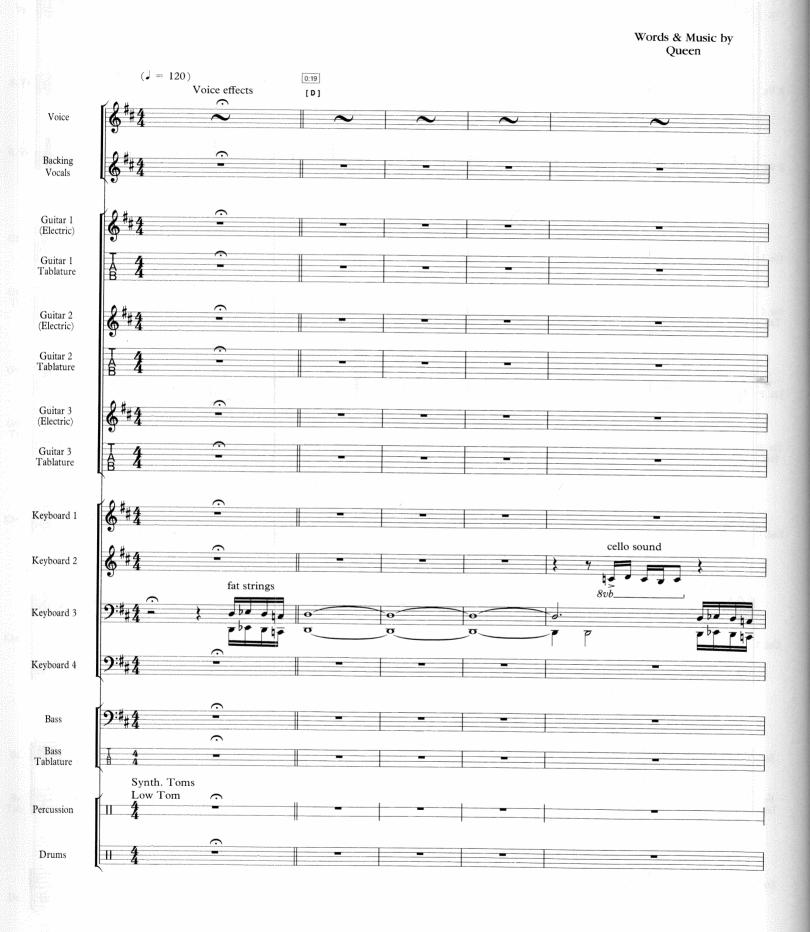








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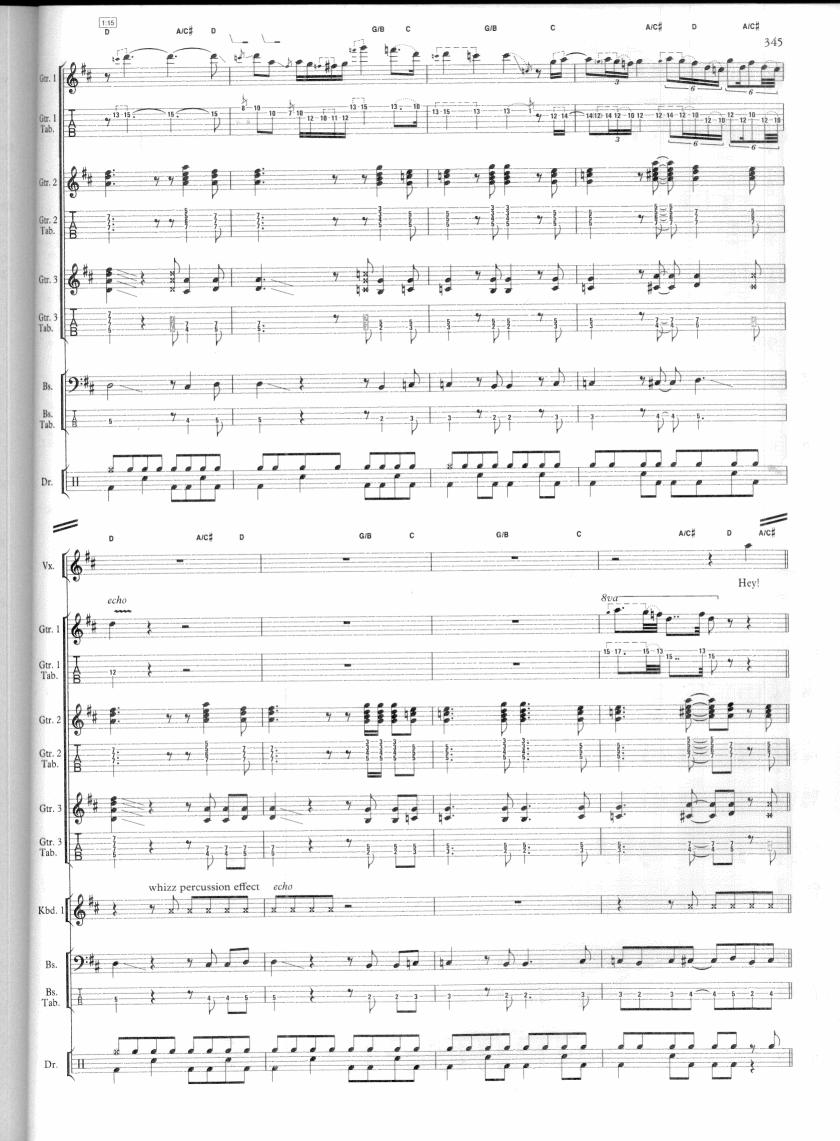
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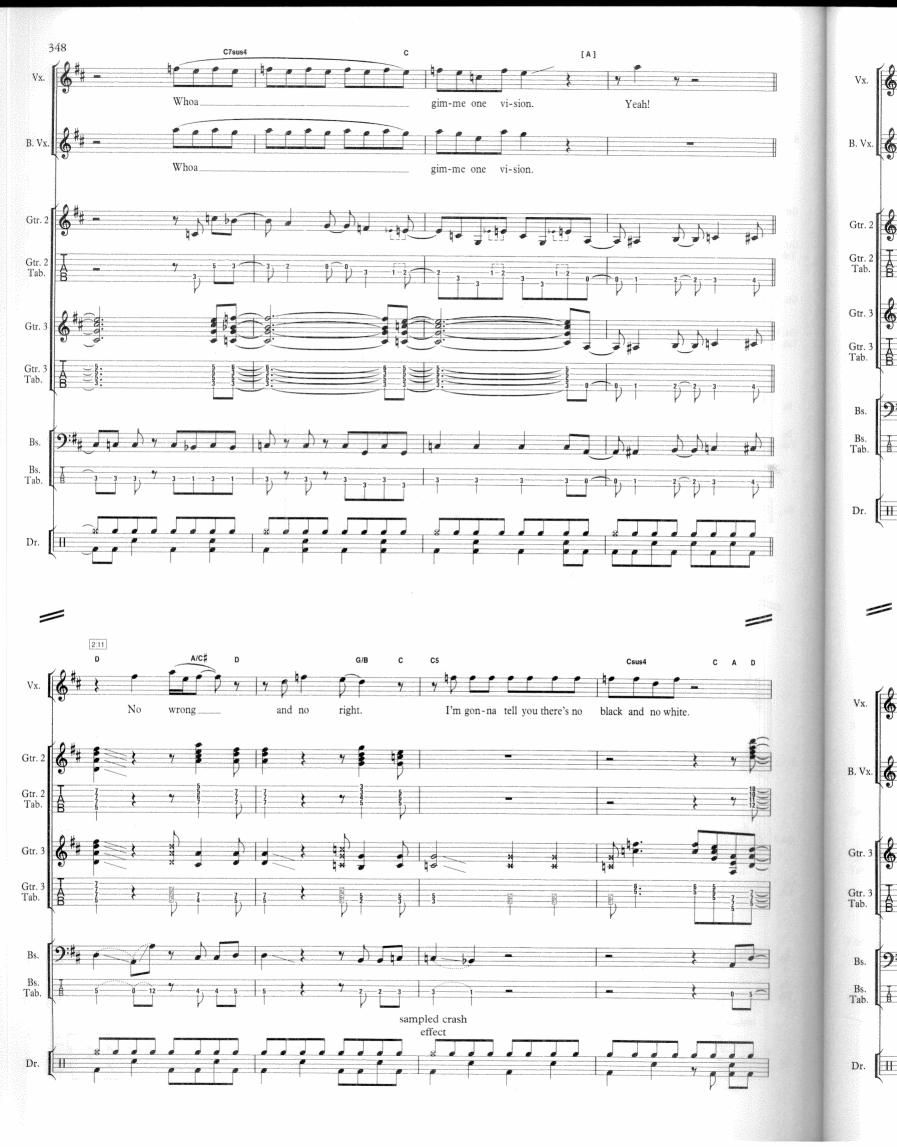


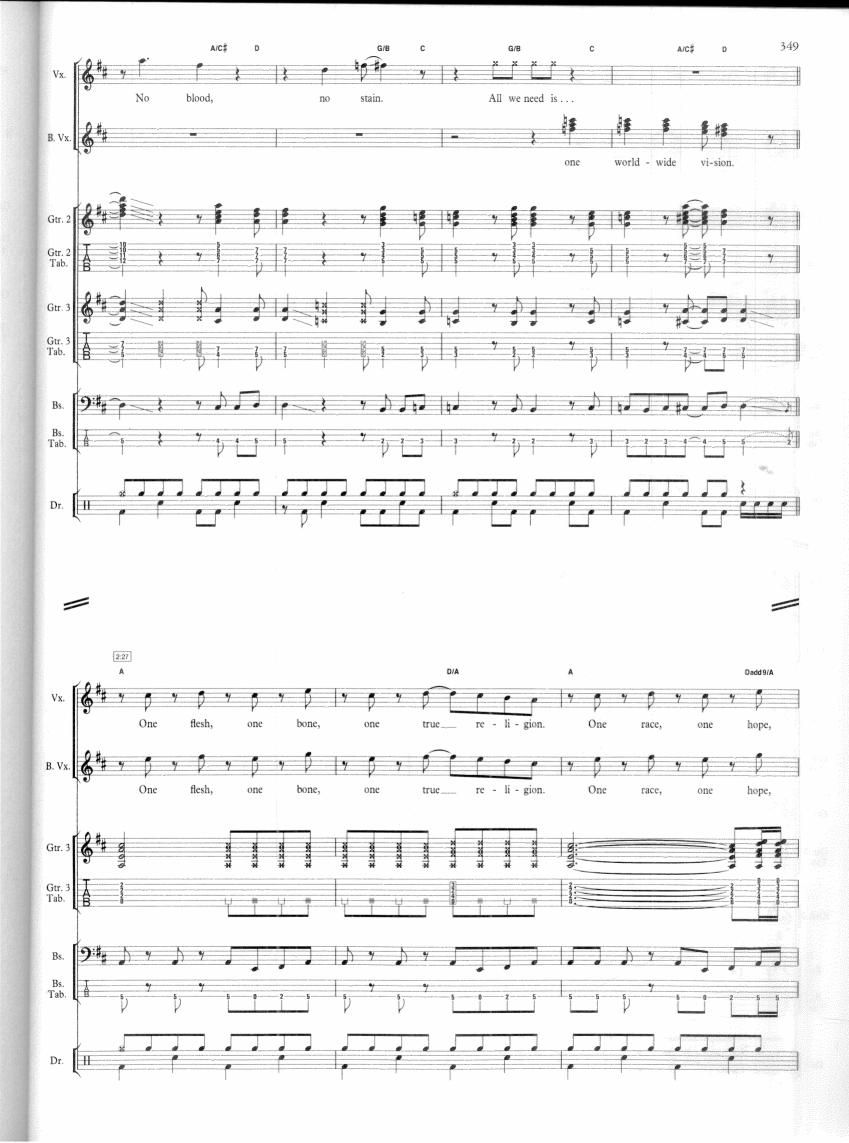














Vx.
Gtr. 3
Gtr. 3
Tab.

Kbd. 2

Vx.

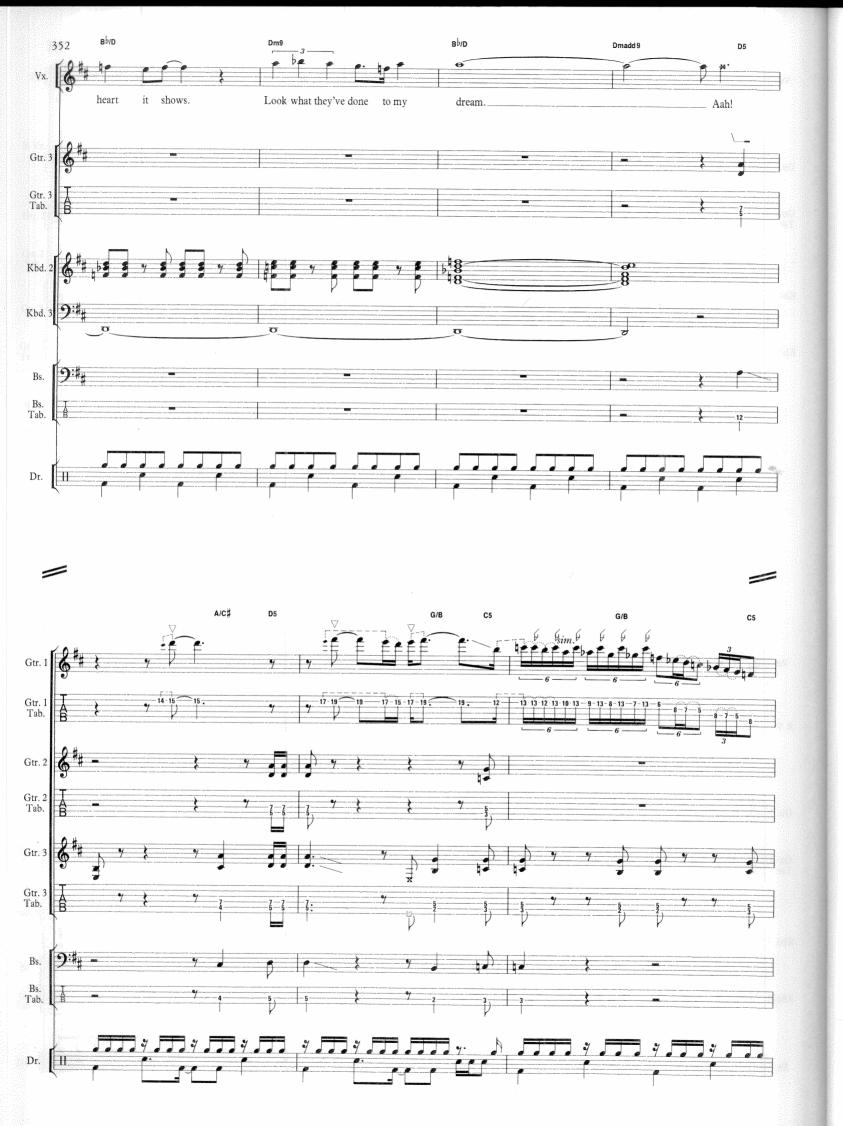
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Kbd. 2

Kbd. 3







Vx. B. Vx. Gtr. 1 Gtr. 1 Tab. Gtr. 3 Gtr. 3 Tab. Bs. Bs. Dr.

B. Vx.

Gtr. 2 Gtr. 2 Tab.

Gtr. 3

Gtr. 3 Tab.

Bs. Bs. Tab.





Vx.

Bs.

Bs. Tab.

Perc.







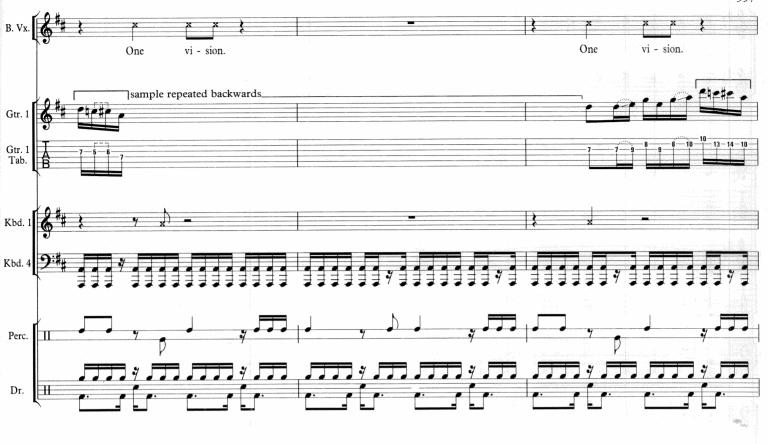
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Gtr. 1
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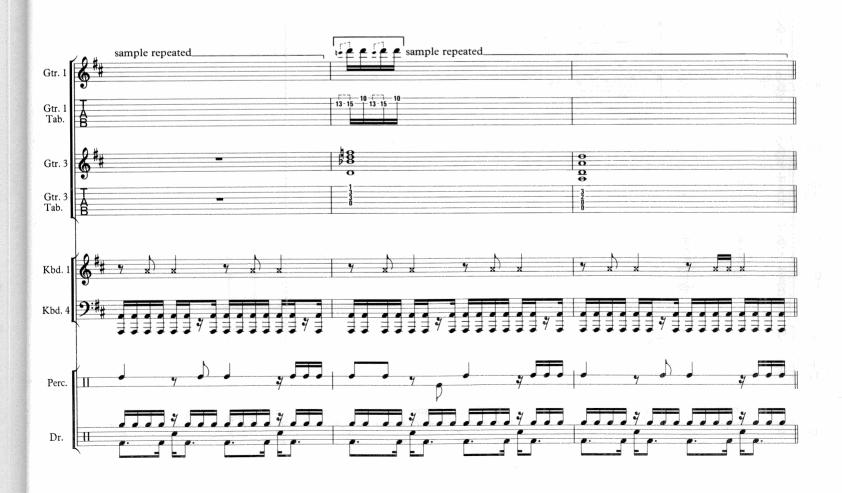
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Gtr. 1
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Gtr. 3
Tab.

Kbd. 1
Kbd. 4
Perc.





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Bs.

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